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ABSTRACT

Based on information from supplementary questions in the March 1976 Current Population Survey, the report presents data which indicate that women are contributing increasingly to family incomes. Analysis of the information reveals that the marital composition of the American labor force has changed significantly since 1970. A rapidly growing youth population, high divorce rates, and a decline in labor force participation rates for married men account for the changes. In 1976, 14.9 million mothers with children under 18 were in the labor force. This participation was strongly influenced by education level, husband's income, and presence of children. Divorced mothers were more likely to work than other mothers, and never-married mothers were most likely to be unemployed. Many working wives with children did not work year round, full time. Black married mothers were more likely to work outside the home than whites, and the black wives contributed a greater proportion to family income than whites did. The labor force participation rate of married Hispanic women was nearly equal to that of white wives, but Hispanic husbands' participation rates were higher than blacks or whites. The bulk of the report contains tables of statistics. (Author/AV)

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Labor force participation of married women, March 1976

Special Labor Force Report shows that wives make substantial contributions to their families incomes

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The marital composition of the American labor force has changed significantly since 1970. Although married persons still predominate as in the 1960's, their share of the labor force declined from 69 percent in March 1970 to 65 percent in March 1976. Over this same period, the proportion of single (never married) workers grew from 20 to 23 percent and that of divorced and separated persons from 7 to 9 percent.

Several factors account for these changes. The youth population has grown rapidly since 1970, and young people have remained single longer than in the past few decades. Concurrently, more marriages are breaking up. Moreover, although the labor force participation rate of married women has continued to rise, the rate for married men has maintained its slow, long-term decline.

Reflecting these trends, never-married persons accounted for nearly three-fifths of the 1.8-million increase in the labor force during the year ended March 1976. The labor force participation rate for married men fell to 82 percent, and the rate for married women rose slightly to a new high of 45 percent (table 1). Technical revisions recently introduced in the marital-family data had no significant impact on these and other trends.[1]

Mothers in the labor force

There were 14.9 million mothers with children under 18 in the labor force in March 1976; 11.7 million were married. The pattern of labor force participation among wives was similar to that of other mothers; wives with children under 6 were less likely to be in the labor force than those with school-age children. For example, more than half the wives whose youngest child was 14 or over were labor force participants compared with only a third of those with children under 3 (table 2).

The labor force participation of married women was strongly influenced by education and husbands' income, as well as presence and age of children. The participation rate of wives without children under 18 rose with their husbands' income, peaking between $10,000 and $15,000 and then declining (table 3). There was little variation among the participation rates of wives with children under 18 whose husbands' income was below $15,000.

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However, the rate declined rapidly as husbands' income reached higher levels. Wives with college degrees were usually more likely to be in the labor force than wives with less education, regardless of their husbands' income. Among mothers of 6- to 17-year-olds, the participation rate of those with a college degree was 67 percent in March 1976, compared with 55 percent for mothers with high school diplomas only.

Wives with children under 18 continued to experience greater joblessness than other wives and the likelihood of unemployment was greater with younger children. For instance, the unemployment rate of wives with children under 3 was 14 percent in March 1976, compared with a 5-percent rate for wives whose youngest child was 14 to 17 years.

Divorced mothers were more likely to be in the labor force than other mothers. About three-fourths of the divorced women with children under 18 and well over half of the separated mothers were in the labor force in March 1976. The labor force participation rate of never-married mothers (45 percent) was relatively high, considering that more than two-thirds of these women had children under 6.

Never-married mothers were more likely to be unemployed than either divorced or married mothers. Their 20-percent unemployment rate—although not much different from the rate of separated mothers—was more than twice that of either wives or divorced women with children. It should be noted that more than one-third of the single mothers in the labor force were black women 16 to 24 years old—a group with historically high unemployment.

Extent of work during the year

Because of family responsibilities, many working wives with children do not work year round, full time. About two-fifths of the mothers of 6- to 17-year-olds who worked during 1975 did so on a full-time basis all year and only one-fourth of the mothers of children under 6 were employed full time throughout the year.

The proportion of black married mothers who worked outside the home continued to be greater than that of whites, and blacks were more likely to work year round, full time. In 1975, 60 percent of black wives with preschoolers and 70 percent of those whose youngest child was at least 6 worked at some time. The respective proportions of whites were 46 and 59 percent. Moreover, 46 percent of the black mothers who worked at some time in 1975 held full-time jobs all year, compared with 32 percent of the whites.

Number of family earners

Reflecting the increased labor force participation of wives, 57 percent of the 47.3 million husband-wife families surveyed reported that they had been multi-earner families in 1975. Thus, the concept of the four-person family consisting of two children, a

Table 1. Employment status of persons 16 years and over, by marital status and sex, March 1975 and March 1976

[Numbers in thousands]

Marital status and sex	1975							1976						
	Population	Civilian labor force					Armed Forces[1]	Population	Civilian labor force					Armed Forces[1]
		Number	Labor force participation rate	Employed	Unemployed				Number	Labor force participation rate	Employed	Unemployed		
					Number	Percent of labor force						Number	Percent of labor force	
Both sexes, total	151,528	91,308	60.7	82,917	8,391	9.2	1,079	154,094	93,063	60.6	85,553	7,530	8.1	914
Men	72,075	54,812	77.2	49,889	4,923	9.0	1,079	73,260	55,246	76.4	50,924	4,322	7.8	914
Never married	18,261	12,124	66.8	10,130	1,994	16.4	122	18,821	12,467	66.5	10,582	1,885	15.1	85
Married, wife present	47,649	38,686	82.8	36,308	2,377	6.1	923	47,865	38,674	82.1	36,735	1,940	5.0	770
Other ever married	6,165	4,002	65.3	3,451	551	13.8	35	6,574	4,104	63.0	3,607	498	12.1	60
Married, wife absent	1,838	1,441	79.1	1,213	228	15.8	17	1,998	1,423	72.9	1,233	190	13.4	45
Widowed	1,786	608	34.0	550	57	9.4	1	1,793	539	30.1	489	50	9.2	.....
Divorced	2,541	1,953	77.4	1,687	266	13.6	15	2,783	2,142	77.4	1,885	258	12.0	15
Women	79,453	36,496	45.9	33,028	3,468	9.5	.....	80,834	37,817	46.8	34,609	3,208	8.5	.....
Never married	14,855	8,433	56.8	7,382	1,051	12.5	.....	15,409	9,083	58.9	8,024	1,059	11.7	.....
Married, husband present	47,623	21,143	44.4	19,342	1,801	8.5	.....	47,852	21,554	45.0	20,023	1,530	7.1	.....
Other ever married	16,976	6,919	40.8	6,304	616	8.9	.....	17,573	7,181	40.9	6,562	619	8.6	.....
Married, husband absent	2,994	1,653	55.2	1,415	238	14.4	.....	2,145	1,801	57.3	1,553	247	13.7	.....
Widowed	9,986	2,385	23.9	2,253	132	5.5	.....	10,020	2,233	22.3	2,097	137	6.1	.....
Divorced	3,996	2,881	72.1	2,635	246	8.5	.....	4,408	3,146	71.4	2,912	235	7.5	.....

[1] Includes only male members of the Armed Forces living off post or with their families on post.

NOTE: Due to rounding, sums of individual items may not equal totals. Data for 1975 revised.

working husband, and a wife-homemaker outside the labor force, although useful for some purposes, does not represent the typical American family of the mid-1970's. In 1975, only 7 percent of husband-wife families fit this description (table 4).

As might be expected, family income rose along with the number of earners. Median income in 1975 of husband-wife families ranged from $6,000 where there were no earners to $22,100 where there were three earners or more. When the husband was an earner, median family income was higher than when he was not.

Working wives made substantial contributions to their families' economic welfare. Median income for families where the wife was an earner was $17,100, and $19,700 where she worked all year at a full-time job. As a proportion of family income, wives' earnings averaged 26 percent—ranging from 39 percent when the wife worked year round full time to 12 percent when she worked full time for half a year or less, or part time.

Black wives contributed a greater proportion to family income than whites did. Black wives' earnings averaged 32 percent of family income (42 percent if they worked year round, full time) compared with 26 percent for white wives. This difference is partly explained by the greater likelihood of black wives working year round, full time. Also, black husbands had much lower earnings than white husbands; median income was $7,800 for black husbands and $11,600 for whites.

Almost three-fifths of the 7.5 million women who headed families were earners in 1975. On average, they contributed two-thirds of family income. Families headed by women usually were not as well off as husband-wife families. In 1975, median income of these families was $6,800, less than half that of husband-wife families ($14,900). The 4.6 million families headed by women with children under 18 had an even lower median income — $5,500, or one-third the median for husband-wife families with children. Their income varied considerably by the age of the youngest child. Family income averaged $6,800 when the youngest child was 6 to 17 years old, compared with only $4,000 when the youngest was under 6. Comparable medians for husband-wife families were $17,900 and $13,700.

Workers of Spanish origin

Married persons of Spanish origin have a different pattern of labor force participation than blacks or whites. In March 1976 the proportion of husbands of Hispanic origin in the labor force was higher than that of black or white husbands. The labor force participation rate of married women of Spanish origin was nearly that of white wives, but

Table 2. Labor force status of women 16 years and over, by marital status and presence and age of youngest child, March 1976

[Numbers in thousands]

Marital and labor force status	Total	No own children under 18 years	With own children under 18 years				
			Total	14-17 years, none younger	6-13 years, none younger	3-5 years, none younger	Under 3 years
Women, 16 years and over, total	80,834	50,265	30,568	4,831	11,787	6,170	7,781
In labor force	37,817	22,923	14,895	2,767	6,571	2,926	2,631
Labor force participation rate	46.8	45.6	48.7	57.3	55.7	47.4	33.8
Unemployment rate	8.5	8.3	8.8	5.2	7.1	10.2	15.4
Never married, total	15,409	14,756	653	29	155	180	290
In labor force	9,083	8,786	297	18	81	99	99
Labor force participation rate	58.9	59.5	45.4	(1)	52.4	55.1	34.1
Unemployment rate	11.7	11.4	20.0	(1)	11.3	22.3	25.9
Married, husband present, total	47,852	22,490	25,361	3,984	9,559	5,044	6,774
In labor force	21,554	9,860	11,693	2,194	5,076	2,227	2,197
Labor force participation rate	45.0	43.8	46.1	55.1	53.1	44.1	32.4
Unemployment rate	7.1	6.2	7.9	4.7	6.4	8.7	13.8
Married, husband absent, total	3,145	1,410	1,735	198	664	412	461
In labor force	1,801	821	980	119	408	248	205
Labor force participation rate	57.3	58.2	56.5	60.2	61.5	60.1	44.3
Unemployment rate	13.7	9.7	17.1	11.3	13.6	19.1	25.3
Widowed, total	10,020	9,315	705	289	323	55	38
In labor force	2,233	1,880	354	164	154	23	13
Labor force participation rate	22.3	20.2	50.2	56.6	47.6	(1)	(1)
Unemployment rate	6.1	5.5	9.5	9.4	8.6	(1)	(1)
Divorced, total	4,408	2,294	2,114	331	1,086	479	218
In labor force	3,146	1,576	1,571	272	852	329	117
Labor force participation rate	71.4	68.7	74.3	82.2	78.5	68.7	53.8
Unemployment rate	7.5	6.8	8.1	3.4	7.6	10.1	17.9

[1] Rate not shown where base is less than 75,000.

NOTE: Due to rounding, sums of individual items may not equal totals.

Table 3. Labor force participation rates of married women, March 1976, by presence and age of youngest child, years of school completed, and husband's 1975 income

Presence and age of own children and years of school completed	Total	Husband's income					
		Under $7,000	$7,000 to $9,999	$10,000 to $14,999	$15,000 to $19,999	$20,000 to $24,999	$25,000 and over
Married women, husband present, total	45.0	40.0	50.4	50.9	46.1	40.5	32.6
No own children under 18 years, total	43.8	34.9	49.0	53.5	51.1	42.2	34.4
Years of school completed:							
16 years and over	67.1	66.5	70.2	73.7	76.1	59.1	45.5
13 to 15 years	53.5	51.5	58.9	62.4	56.3	48.6	27.2
12 years only	49.0	46.1	54.0	55.6	48.5	37.7	34.3
0 to 11 years	28.1	22.7	34.2	37.5	33.5	31.7	22.2
With own children 6 to 17 years, total	53.7	56.6	60.2	57.7	52.4	49.6	37.0
Years of school completed:							
16 years and over	66.7	78.4	75.3	79.2	72.8	69.2	50.0
13 to 15 years	56.7	71.8	68.8	66.8	62.2	48.1	33.6
12 years only	55.3	64.0	65.3	60.8	50.1	48.3	33.3
0 to 11 years	44.5	47.4	50.5	43.5	40.8	32.0	16.9
With own children under 6 years, total	37.4	42.3	45.0	40.1	30.5	22.8	19.0
Years of school completed:							
16 years and over	45.1	65.4	67.1	55.3	39.6	31.6	23.5
13 to 15 years	39.5	51.8	47.6	45.8	35.1	28.6	15.4
12 years only	36.9	45.6	45.7	37.9	28.1	16.1	17.0
0 to 11 years	32.9	35.3	37.1	31.7	19.6	8.8	(1)

[1] Rate not shown where base is less than 75,000.

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Table 4. Number of earners in husband-wife families and median 1975 family income, by number of family members, March 1976

[Numbers in thousands]

Number of earners	Total	Size of family						Median family income[1]
		2 persons	3 persons	4 persons	5 persons	6 persons	7 or more	
Husband-wife families, total	47,308	17,027	9,858	10,122	5,688	2,649	1,965	$14,900
No earners	4,684	4,065	327	135	65	46	47	6,000
One earner, total	15,664	5,701	3,226	3,619	1,895	787	436	12,700
Husband only	13,962	4,774	2,786	3,465	1,804	732	401	13,000
Wife only	1,246	928	141	85	56	25	12	9,000
Other relative only	456	.....	299	69	35	30	24	11,700
Two earners, total	19,749	7,261	4,940	4,222	2,062	758	506	16,400
Husband and wife only	16,683	7,261	3,776	3,403	1,498	500	247	16,100
Husband and other relative, only	2,714	.....	1,018	711	516	233	234	17,900
Husband is nonearner	352	.....	146	109	48	25	24	15,100
Three earners or more, total	7,211	.....	1,365	2,146	1,666	1,058	976	22,100
Husband and wife earners	5,652	.....	1,365	1,740	1,195	740	612	22,000
Husband an earner, wife nonearner	1,427	.....	.....	364	440	293	330	22,900
Husband is nonearner	131	.....	.....	42	31	24	34	16,100

[1] Rounded to nearest $100.

NOTE: Due to rounding, sums of individual items may not equal totals.

Table 5. Selected characteristics of the white, black, and Spanish-origin persons in the civilian noninstitutional population by labor force status, March 1976

[Numbers in thousands]

Selected characteristics	White			Black			Spanish origin		
	Civilian labor force	Labor force participation rate	Unemployment rate	Civilian labor force	Labor force participation rate	Unemployment rate	Civilian labor force	Labor force participation rate	Unemployment rate
Men, total	49,651	77.4	7.2	4,702	66.6	14.6	2,420	77.7	10.7
Never married	10,855	68.2	13.8	1,348	55.4	26.5	566	61.0	18.9
Married, spouse present	35,453	82.3	4.8	2,658	78.9	8.2	1,653	86.6	8.3
Other marital status[1]	3,344	65.0	11.2	696	55.4	16.3	201	72.6	7.8
Women, total	32,799	46.3	7.9	4,377	50.5	13.1	1,516	42.9	12.5
Never married	7,754	61.2	10.2	1,128	46.5	22.3	386	50.5	13.0
Married, spouse present	19,285	44.1	6.9	1,903	56.7	9.3	832	41.6	13.2
16 to 34 years old	7,906	50.0	(2)	840	64.1	(2)	417	43.9	(2)
35 years old and over	11,379	40.8	(2)	1,063	52.0	(2)	415	39.6	(2)
With no own children under 18 years old	9,030	43.4	6.0	691	50.0	8.1	244	42.1	(2)
With own children under 18 years old	10,256	44.8	7.7	1,212	61.5	10.0	588	41.4	(2)
6 to 17 years	6,516	52.7	5.7	647	65.4	7.1	301	48.9	(2)
6 to 13 years	4,498	51.7	6.3	495	68.7	7.4	219	47.8	(2)
14 to 17 years	2,019	55.0	4.5	152	56.4	6.1	81	51.7	(2)
Under 6 years	3,739	35.5	11.0	564	57.5	13.2	287	35.8	(2)
Other marital status[1]	5,760	39.8	8.0	1,346	46.5	10.7	298	38.8	10.1

[1] Includes widowed, divorced and separated persons.
[2] Data not available.

NOTE: Due to rounding, sums of individual items may not equal totals.

considerably lower than that of black wives (table 5).

These differences in participation rates can be partly explained by the relative youth of married persons of Spanish origin in the United States. In March 1976, the median ages of Spanish-origin husbands and wives were 39 and 36 years. These are each 6 years lower than the figures for whites and 4 years below those for black husbands and wives. The younger median age of Spanish husbands may increase the likelihood of their being in the labor force. However, it may have an opposite effect on Spanish wives, since younger wives are more likely to have preschoolers at home. Forty percent of Hispanic wives have preschool age children, compared with 29 percent of black and 24 percent of white wives. □

FOOTNOTE

[1] This report is based primarily on information from supplementary questions in the March 1976 Current Population Survey. It is the latest in a series of reports on this subject. It will be reprinted with additional tabular data and an explanatory note as a Special Labor Force Report. The most recent report on this subject, containing data for March 1975, was published in the *Monthly Labor Review*, November 1975, pp. 52-56, and reprinted as Special Labor Force Report 183.

The data in this report relate to the noninstitutional population 16 years old and over, including those male members of the Armed Forces living off post or with their families on post (914,000 in March 1976). Sampling variability may be relatively large in cases where numbers are small. Small differences between estimates or percentages should be interpreted with caution. Data for March 1976 are not strictly comparable to previously published data because of recently introduced refinements in the editing and computer processing of the sample results.

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Technical Note on the Comparability of Data

Because of recently introduced refinements in the computer editing of Current Population Survey (CPS) questionnaires, the weighting of the sample results, and the allocation procedures used to compensate for nonresponses, the data from the March 1976 CPS are not entirely comparable with similar data previously published for 1975 and earlier years. In order to evaluate the overall impact of the new procedures on the marital and family data obtained from the CPS, the data from the March 1975 survey were processed again, using the new 1976 procedures in order to provide a "bridge year" comparison. Some of the major differences that resulted from the implementation of the new procedures are shown below in table A.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) is in the process of developing alternative ways of tabulating and publishing family data without the heretofore arbitrary designation of family "heads." The use of the term "head" has been discontinued in all BLS statistics concerning husband-wife families. However, until alternative approaches are fully implemented, reports such as this will use the term "head" where the single parent or nonparent adult is widowed, divorced, separated, or never married. For a detailed discussion of the family "head" concept both in the past and in light of recent social trends, see the article, "New Approaches to Statistics on the Family," by Janet L. Norwood, Monthly Labor Review, July 1977.

Table A. Comparison of marital and family data for March 1975 as obtained by the revised methodology and previous methodology

(Number in thousands. Minus (-) sign denotes decrease.)

Item	All persons		
	March 1975 unrevised	March 1975 revised	Difference
Persons			
Civilian labor force, total	91,284	91,308	+24
Men	54,777	54,812	+35
Never married	12,114	12,124	+10
Married, wife present	38,596	38,686	+90
Other marital status[1]	4,067	4,002	−65
Women	36,507	36,496	−11
Never married	8,464	8,433	−31
Married, husband present	21,111	21,143	+32
With no own children under 18 years	9,701	9,718	+17
With own children under 18 years	11,408	11,425	+17
6 to 17 only	6,971	6,988	+17
Under 6	4,437	4,438	+ 1
Other marital status[1]	6,932	6,919	−13

See footnotes at end of table.

Table A. Comparison of marital and family data for March 1975 as obtained by the revised methodology and previous methodology—Continued

(Number in thousands. Minus (-) sign denotes decrease.)

Item	All persons—Continued		
	March 1975 unrevised	March 1975 revised	Difference
Persons—Continued			
With work experience:			
Married men, wife present	40,108	40,046	−62
Worked year round, full time[2]	31,243	30,693	−550
Worked year round, part time[3]	1,018	975	−43
Worked 27 to 49 weeks	5,397	5,829	+432
Worked 1 to 26 weeks	2,450	2,549	+99
Married women, husband present	24,349	24,820	+471
Worked 50 to 52 weeks, full time[2]	10,558	9,979	−579
Worked 1 to 49 weeks, full time[2]	6,225	6,796	+571
Worked part time[3]	7,566	8,045	+479
Families			
Husband-wife families, total	46,052	46,150	+98
Husband in labor force	38,169	38,253	+84
Husband and other member in labor force	22,477	22,407	−70
Wife in lbaor force	18,822	18,858	+36
Other families[4]			
Headed by women, total	7,238	7,230	− 8
Head in labor force	3,933	3,928	− 5
Head and other member in labor force	1,360	1,425	+65
Headed by men	1,483	1,390	−93

[1] Includes widowed, divorced and separated person.

[2] Usually worked 35 hours or more in a majority of weeks worked.

[3] Usually worked less than 35 hours in a majority of weeks worked.

[4] Includes families headed by persons who are divorced, separated, widowed or never-married.

NOTE: Due to rounding, sums of individual items may not equal totals.

Explanatory Note

ESTIMATES in this report are based on supplementary questions in the March 1976 Current Population Survey conducted and tabulated for the Bureau of Labor Statistics by the Bureau of the Census. Basic labor force concepts, sample design, estimating methods, and reliability of the data are described briefly in the following sections.1/

DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

Population Coverage. Each month, trained interviewers collect information from a sample of about 47,000 households in 461 areas in 923 counties and independent cities with coverage in every State and the District of Columbia. Estimates in this report include persons 16 years old and over in the civilian noninstitutional population in the calendar week ended March 13, 1976. Male members of the Armed Forces living off post or with their families on post (914,000 in March 1976) were also included, but all other members of the Armed Forces were excluded.

Marital Status. Persons are classified into the following categories according to their marital status at the time of interview: Single; married, spouse present; and other marital status. The classification "married, spouse present" applies to husband and wife if both are reported as members of the same household even though one may be temporarily absent on business, vacation, on a visit, in a hospital, and the like at the time of interview. The term "other marital status" applies to persons who are married, spouse absent, widowed, or divorced.

Family. The term "family" as used here, refers to a group of two persons or more related by blood, marriage, or adoption and residing together; all such persons are considered as members of one family. Married children and their spouses living with parents who maintain the family are treated as part of the parents' family. However, a lodger and his or her spouse who are not related to the persons or persons who maintain the family, or a resident employee and his or her spouse living in, are considered as a separate family.

Children. Data on children refer to "own" children of the family head and include sons and daughters, stepchildren, and adopted children. Excluded are other related children, such as grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and cousins, and unrelated children.

Age. The age classification is based on the age of the person at his last birthday.

Race. The population is divided into three groups on the basis of race: white, black and "other races." The last category includes Indians, Japanese, Chinese, and any other race except white and black.

Hispanic Origin. Persons of Hispanic origin in this report are those persons who indicated that their origin was Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American, or some other Hispanic origin. The latter category includes persons from Spain as well as persons with combinations of types of Spanish origins. Persons who reported that they were of one of the specific Hispanic origin categories and a non-Hispanic category were included in the specific category. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Employed. Employed persons are all those who during the survey week (a) did any work at all as paid employees or in their own business or profession, or on their own farm, or worked 15 hours or more as unpaid workers in an enterprise operated by a member of the

family, or (b) did not work but had jobs or businesses from which they were temporarily absent because of illness, bad weather, vacations, labor-management dispute, or personal reasons, whether they were paid by their employers for the time off, or were seeking other jobs.

Unemployed. Unemployed persons are all those who did not work during the survey week, made specific efforts to find a job within the preceding 4 weeks, and were available for work during the survey week or would have been available except for temporary illness. Also included as unemployed are those who did not work at all, were available for work, and (a) were waiting to be called back to a job from which they had been laid off, or (b) were waiting to report to a new wage or salary job within 30 days.

Labor Force. The labor force comprises all persons classified as employed or unemployed according to the above definitions.

Not in Labor Force. All persons not classified as employed or unemployed are defined as "not in the labor force." Persons doing only incidental unpaid family work (less than 15 hours) are also classified as not in the civilian labor force.

Full-Time and Part-Time Workers. Full-time workers are persons who worked 35 hours or more during the survey week, or who usually work full time but worked 1 to 34 hours during the survey week. Part-time workers are those who usually work 1 to 34 hours and worked 1 to 34 hours during the survey week. Persons with a job but not at work during the survey week are classified according to whether they usually work full or part time.

Work Experience. Persons with work experience are those who worked as civilians at any time during the preceding calendar year at full-time or part-time jobs.

Weeks Worked. Persons with work experience are classified according to the number of weeks in which they did any work during the preceding calendar year as civilians for pay or profit (including paid vacations and sick leave) or worked without pay on a family-operated farm or business.

Year-Round Full-Time Workers. Year-round full-time workers are persons who worked primarily at full-time jobs for 50 weeks or more during the preceding calendar year.

Part-Year Workers. Part-year workers are persons who worked either full time or part time for 1 to 49 weeks during the preceding calendar year.

Occupation, Industry, and Class of Worker. Data on occupation, industry, and class of worker refer to the job held in the survey week. Persons with two jobs or more are classified in the job at which they worked the greatest number of hours in the survey week. The occupation and industry categories in this report are the major groups used in the 1970 Census of Population.

Income. Income is the total amount of money income received in the preceding calendar year from (1) money wages and salaries, net rental income, and income from estates and trusts, (2) net income from self-employment, (3) Social Security, (4) dividends, interest (on savings and bonds), net rental income, and income from estates and trusts, (5) public assistance, (6) unemployment and workmen's compensation, government employee pensions, and veterans' payments, and (7) private pensions, annuities, alimony, regular contributions from persons not living in the same household, net royalties, and other periodic income. The amount received represents income before deductions for personal taxes, Social Security, savings bonds, union dues, health insurance, and the like. The total income of a family is the algebraic sum of the amounts received by all persons in the family.

Earnings. Earnings are all money income of $1 or more from wages and salaries, and net money income of $1 or more from farm and nonfarm self-employment.

Median. The median is the value which divides the distribution into two equal parts, one part having values above the median, and the other having values below the median.

The medians as shown in this report are calculated from the corresponding distributions by linear interpolation within the interval in which the median falls. Therefore, because of this interpolation, the median value depends not only on the distribution of income but also on the income intervals used in calculating the median.

Sums of Distribution. Sums of individual items, whether absolute numbers or percentages, may not equal totals because of independent rounding of totals and components. Percentage totals, however, are always shown as 100 percent.

RELIABILITY OF THE ESTIMATES

Estimating Procedure. The estimating procedure used in this survey inflates weighted sample results to independent estimates of the civilian noninstitutional population by age, sex, and race. These independent estimates are based on statistics from the 1970 Census of Population and other data on births, deaths, immigration, emigration, and strength of the Armed Forces. To these figures were added the male members of the Armed Forces living off post or with their families on post.

Variability. Since the estimates are based on a sample, they may differ somewhat from the figures that would have been obtained if a complete census had been taken using the same schedules and procedures. As in any survey, the results are also subject to errors of response and reporting. These may be relatively large in the case of persons with irregular attachment to the labor force. Particular care should be exercised in the interpretation of figures based on relatively small estimates as well as small differences between figures.

The standard error is primarily a measure of sampling variability, that is, of the variations that might occur by chance because a sample rather than the entire population is surveyed. As calculated for this report, the standard error also partially measures the effect of response and enumeration errors but does not measure any systematic biases in the data. The chances are about 68 out of 100 that an estimate differs from a complete census by less than the standard error. The chances are about 95 out of 100 that the difference would be less than twice the standard error.

The figures presented in Tables 1 through 3 provide approximations of the standard errors of estimated numbers and percentages. Standard errors for intermediate values may be found by interpolation. Estimated standard errors for specific characteristics cannot be obtained from Tables 1 through 3 without the use of factors in Table 4. These factors must be applied to the standard errors in order to adjust for the combined effect of sample design and estimating procedure on the value of the characteristic. The determination of the proper factor for a percentage depends upon the subject matter of the numerator of the percentage, not the denominator.

The following examples illustrate the use of the standard error tables. An estimated 21,554,000 married women, husband present were in the labor force in March 1976. Two steps, using both Tables 1 and 4 are required to derive an estimate of the standard error of this figure. First, from Table 1 a preliminary estimate of the error (255,000) is found by interpolation. Next, this estimate is multiplied by the factor 1.0 from Table 4. Thus, the chances are about 68 out of 100 that the difference between the sample estimate and a complete census count would be less than 255,000. The chances

are about 95 out of 100 that the difference would be less than 510,000. The 21,554,000 married women represented 45.0 percent of all married women in the population The standard error of this percent is found by multiplying the standard error (0.4) from Table 2 by the appropriate factor from Table 4 (0.6): 0.4 x 0.6 = 0.24. Thus, the chances are 68 out of 100 that a complete census count would have resulted in a figure between 45.2 and 44.8 percent, and 95 out of 100 that the figure would have been between 45.5 and 44.5.

For a difference between two sample estimates, the standard error is found by using the following formula: $S_o = \sqrt{(S_1)^2 + (S_2)^2}$ where S_o is the standard error of the difference and S_1 and S_2 are the standard errors of the estimates.

To illustrate this, Table A of this report shows that in March 1976, the labor force participation rate of married women, husband present, was 45.0 percent, and the rate for single women was 58.9 percent -- an apparent difference of 13.9 percentage points. From Tables 2 and 4 the standard error of 45 percent on a base of 47,852,000 is found to be 0.28 and the standard error of 58.9 percent on a base of 15,409,000 to be .56. Thus the standard error of the estimated difference of 13.9 percentage points is $0.63 = \sqrt{(0.28)^2 + (0.56)^2}$. This means that the chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimated difference based on the sample would vary from the difference derived using complete census figures by less than .63 percentage points and 95 out of 100 that it would differ by less than 1.26 percentage points. If the percentage point difference between two estimates exceeds the standard error of the difference at whatever significance level chosen by the analyst, (e.g. 68 out of 100 or 95 out of 100) the difference between the two estimates is considered significant.

1/ For a more complete description of the methodology, see Concepts and Methods Used in Labor Force Statistics derived from the Current Population Survey, U.S. Department of Commerce and U.S. Department of Labor, BLS Report Number 463.

Table 1. Standard errors of estimated numbers, by race

(68 chances out of 100. Numbers in thousands)

Size of estimate	Standards errors	
	Total or white	Black and other races
20	8	10
30	10	12
40	12	14
50	13	16
100	19	22
250	30	35
500	42	50
1,000	59	69
2,500	93	106
5,000	131	141
10,000	182	171
25,000	277	(X)
50,000	364	(X)
100,000	424	(X)

X Not applicable.

Table 2. Standard errors of estimated percentages: Total or white population

(68 chances out of 100)

Base of estimated percentage (thousands)	Estimated percentage								
	1 or 99	2 or 98	5 or 95	10 or 90	15 or 85	20 or 80	25 or 75	35 or 65	50
50	2.6	3.7	5.8	7.9	9.4	10.6	11.5	12.6	13.2
100	1.9	2.6	4.1	5.6	6.7	7.5	8.1	8.9	9.4
250	1.2	1.7	2.6	3.5	4.2	4.7	5.1	5.6	5.9
500	0.8	1.2	1.8	2.5	3.0	3.3	3.6	4.0	4.2
1,000	0.6	0.8	1.3	1.8	2.1	2.4	2.6	2.8	3.0
2,500	0.4	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.9
5,000	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.3
10,000	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.9
25,000	0.12	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6
50,000	0.08	0.12	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4
100,000	0.06	0.08	0.13	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3

Table 3. Standard errors of estimated percentages: Black and other races population

(68 chances out of 100)

Base of estimated percentage (thousands)	Estimated Percentage								
	1 or 99	2 or 98	5 or 95	10 or 90	15 or 85	20 or 80	25 or 75	35 or 65	50
50	3.1	4.3	6.7	9.3	11.0	12.4	13.4	14.8	15.5
100	2.2	3.1	4.8	6.6	7.8	8.7	9.5	10.4	10.9
250	1.4	1.9	3.0	4.2	4.9	5.5	6.0	6.6	6.9
500	1.0	1.4	2.1	2.9	3.5	3.9	4.2	4.7	4.9
1,000	0.7	1.0	1.5	2.1	2.5	2.8	3.0	3.3	3.5
2,500	0.4	0.6	1.0	1.3	1.6	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.1
5,000	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.5
10,000	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0

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Table 4. Factors to be applied to Table 1 through Table 3 to estimate standard errors of persons and families 1/

Characteristics	Persons			Families and family heads		
	Total or white	Black and other races	Spanish origin 2/	Total or white	Black and other races	Spanish origin 2/
Total labor force and employment						
Both sexes	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5	(X)
Male only, female only	0.7	0.6	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Unemployment	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5	(X)
Marital status	1.0	1.0	1.1	0.6	0.5	0.6
Education	0.8	0.7	0.8	(X)	(X)	(X)

1/ To estimate the errors for the period 1956 to 1966 multiply the above factors by 1.2. For periods before 1956, multiply by 1.5.

2/ Apply the factors in this column to the standard errors of the total or white population

X Not applicable.

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Table A. Employment status of the population 16 years and over, by marital status, sex, and race and Hispanic origin, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

MARITAL STATUS, SEX AND RACE	POPULATION	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE							NOT IN LABOR FORCE	ARMED FORCES[3]
		TOTAL	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	EMPLOYED			UNEMPLOYED			
				TOTAL	FULL TIME[1]	PART TIME[2]	TOTAL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE		
POPULATION, 16 YEARS AND OVER										
BOTH SEXES, TOTAL	154,094	93,063	60.8	85,533	70,420	15,112	7,530	8.1	60,117	914
MEN, TOTAL	73,260	55,246	76.4	50,924	45,857	5,067	4,322	7.8	17,100	914
NEVER MARRIED	18,821	12,467	66.5	10,582	7,417	3,165	1,885	15.1	6,270	85
MARRIED, WIFE PRESENT	47,865	38,674	82.1	36,735	35,154	1,580	1,940	5.0	8,421	770
OTHER EVER MARRIED, TOTAL	6,574	4,104	63.0	3,607	3,285	321	498	12.1	2,410	60
MARRIED, WIFE ABSENT	1,908	1,423	72.9	1,233	1,128	105	190	13.4	530	45
WIDOWED	1,793	539	30.1	489	399	90	50	9.2	1,254	-
DIVORCED	2,783	2,142	77.4	1,885	1,758	127	258	12.0	626	15
WOMEN, TOTAL	80,834	37,817	46.8	34,609	24,563	10,046	3,208	8.5	43,017	-
NEVER MARRIED	15,409	9,083	58.9	8,024	5,132	2,892	1,059	11.7	6,326	-
MARRIED, HUSBAND PRESENT	47,852	21,554	45.0	20,023	14,241	5,783	1,530	7.1	26,298	-
OTHER EVER MARRIED, TOTAL	17,573	7,181	40.9	6,562	5,190	1,371	619	8.6	10,393	-
MARRIED, HUSBAND ABSENT	3,185	1,801	57.3	1,553	1,253	300	247	13.7	1,345	-
MARRIED, HUSBAND ABSENT IN ARMED FORCES	95	57	60.2	46	35	10	12	(4)	38	-
WIDOWED	10,090	2,233	22.3	2,097	1,421	676	137	6.1	7,787	-
DIVORCED	4,408	3,146	71.4	2,912	2,517	395	235	7.5	1,261	-
WHITE, 16 YEARS AND OVER										
BOTH SEXES, TOTAL	135,791	82,450	61.1	76,304	62,698	13,611	6,142	7.4	52,539	806
MEN, TOTAL	64,933	49,657	77.4	46,087	41,495	4,592	3,565	7.2	14,476	806
NEVER MARRIED	15,995	10,918	68.2	9,355	6,455	2,899	1,500	13.8	5,063	77
MARRIED, WIFE PRESENT	43,745	35,965	82.3	33,762	32,312	1,450	1,691	4.8	7,613	679
OTHER EVER MARRIED, TOTAL	5,192	3,344	65.0	2,970	2,727	243	374	11.2	1,799	49
MARRIED, WIFE ABSENT	1,343	1,025	78.4	899	835	65	126	12.3	282	36
WIDOWED	1,492	450	30.1	412	343	69	37	8.3	1,042	-
DIVORCED	2,358	1,869	79.7	1,659	1,550	109	211	11.3	475	13
WOMEN, TOTAL	70,858	32,799	46.3	30,222	21,203	9,019	2,577	7.9	38,059	-
NEVER MARRIED	12,669	7,754	61.2	6,966	4,360	2,606	788	10.2	4,915	-
MARRIED, HUSBAND PRESENT	43,732	19,285	44.1	17,958	12,622	5,336	1,328	6.9	24,436	-
OTHER EVER MARRIED, TOTAL	14,448	5,760	39.8	5,298	4,221	1,078	462	8.0	8,708	-
MARRIED, HUSBAND ABSENT	2,011	1,185	58.9	1,024	825	198	161	13.6	826	-
MARRIED, HUSBAND ABSENT IN ARMED FORCES	75	46	61.0	38	30	9	7	(4)	29	-
WIDOWED	8,744	1,901	21.7	1,800	1,247	553	101	5.3	6,843	-
DIVORCED	3,713	2,674	72.0	2,474	2,148	326	199	7.5	1,039	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table A. Employment status of the population 16 years and over, by marital status, sex, and race and Hispanic origin, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

MARITAL STATUS, SEX AND RACE	POPULATION	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE							NOT IN LABOR FORCE	ARMED FORCES[3]
		TOTAL	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	EMPLOYED			UNEMPLOYED			
				TOTAL	FULL TIME[1]	PART TIME[2]	TOTAL	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE		
BLACK, 16 YEARS AND OVER										
BOTH SEXES, TOTAL	15,812	9,079	57.7	7,818	6,556	1,262	1,261	13.9	6,651	82
MEN, TOTAL	7,138	4,702	66.6	4,014	3,635	379	689	14.6	2,354	82
NEVER MARRIED	2,435	1,348	55.4	990	796	194	357	26.5	1,083	4
MARRIED, WIFE PRESENT	3,436	2,658	78.9	2,441	2,331	110	218	8.2	711	67
OTHER EVER MARRIED, TOTAL	1,267	696	55.4	583	509	74	113	16.3	560	10
MARRIED, WIFE ABSENT	610	384	60.7	304	265	39	81	16.6	236	9
WIDOWED	271	87	32.1	75	54	20	12	14.2	184	-
DIVORCED	386	245	63.7	205	189	15	41	16.5	140	1
WOMEN, TOTAL	8,674	4,377	50.5	3,804	2,921	883	573	13.1	4,298	-
NEVER MARRIED	2,426	1,128	46.5	876	656	220	252	22.3	1,298	-
MARRIED, HUSBAND PRESENT	3,385	1,903	56.7	1,726	1,346	380	177	9.3	1,482	-
OTHER EVER MARRIED, TOTAL	2,894	1,346	46.5	1,202	919	283	144	10.7	1,548	-
MARRIED, HUSBAND ABSENT	1,081	590	54.6	512	411	100	78	13.2	491	-
MARRIED, HUSBAND ABSENT IN ARMED FORCES	16	10	(4)	6	4	2	4	(4)	6	-
WIDOWED	1,182	324	27.4	288	165	123	36	11.1	858	-
DIVORCED	631	432	68.5	402	342	60	30	7.0	199	-
HISPANIC ORIGIN, 16 YEARS AND OVER										
BOTH SEXES, TOTAL	6,681	3,936	59.2	3,486	3,011	475	450	11.4	2,708	37
MEN, TOTAL	3,140	2,420	77.7	2,160	1,989	172	260	10.7	693	37
NEVER MARRIED	932	566	61.0	459	353	106	107	18.9	362	3
MARRIED, WIFE PRESENT	1,943	1,653	86.6	1,516	1,456	61	137	8.3	255	34
OTHER EVER MARRIED, TOTAL	276	201	72.6	185	180	5	16	7.8	76	-
MARRIED, WIFE ABSENT	122	98	79.9	87	84	3	11	10.8	25	-
WIDOWED	55	19	(4)	19	17	2	-	(4)	36	-
DIVORCED	99	84	84.7	79	78	1	5	6.2	15	-
WOMEN, TOTAL	3,530	1,516	42.9	1,325	1,022	304	190	12.5	2,015	-
NEVER MARRIED	784	386	50.5	336	232	103	50	13.0	378	-
MARRIED, HUSBAND PRESENT	1,999	832	41.6	723	575	148	110	13.2	1,167	-
OTHER EVER MARRIED, TOTAL	767	298	38.8	267	215	53	30	10.1	470	-
MARRIED, HUSBAND ABSENT	289	107	37.1	94	77	18	13	12.2	182	-
MARRIED, HUSBAND ABSENT IN ARMED FORCES	5	2	(4)	2	2	1	-	(4)	3	-
WIDOWED	242	47	19.4	41	32	8	6	(4)	195	-
DIVORCED	236	143	60.7	133	106	26	11	7.6	93	-

[1] Full-time workers are persons who during the survey week worked 35 hours or more and those who usually work full time but worked 1 to 34 hours.

[2] Part-time workers are persons who usually work 1 to 34 hours and worked 1 to 34 hours during the survey week. Persons with a job but not at work are classified by whether they usually work full or part time.

[3] Includes only male members of the armed forces living off-post or with their families on post.

[4] Rate not shown where base is less than 75,000.

NOTE: The number in the labor force and the labor force participation rates and unemployment rates for male shown in this set of tables exclude male members of the armed forces living off post or with their families on post. Therefore, the numbers and rates in these tables are not comparable to those published for March 1975 and prior years.

Table B. Population and civilian labor force 16 years old and over, by marital status, sex and age, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

POPULATION, CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE, AND AGE	MEN							WOMEN						
	TOTAL	NEVER MARRIED	MARRIED SPOUSE PRESENT	OTHER EVER-MARRIED				TOTAL	NEVER MARRIED	MARRIED SPOUSE PRESENT	OTHER EVER-MARRIED			
				TOTAL	MARRIED SPOUSE ABSENT	WIDOWED	DIVORCED				TOTAL	MARRIED SPOUSE ABSENT	WIDOWED	DIVORCED
TOTAL POPULATION														
TOTAL, 16 YEARS AND OVER	73,260	18,821	47,865	6,574	1,998	1,793	2,783	80,834	15,409	47,852	17,573	3,145	10,020	4,408
16 TO 19 YEARS, TOTAL	8,161	7,803	294	65	57	-	7	8,274	7,155	932	187	153	2	31
16 AND 17 YEARS	4,202	4,165	11	26	26	-	-	4,108	3,894	167	46	41	1	4
18 AND 19 YEARS	3,959	3,638	282	39	31	-	7	4,166	3,261	764	141	112	1	27
20 TO 24 YEARS	9,197	5,711	3,076	410	243	5	162	9,614	4,099	4,675	840	484	14	341
25 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	15,266	2,945	11,089	1,233	487	11	735	15,882	1,798	11,884	2,200	847	110	1,243
25 TO 29 YEARS	8,465	2,111	5,756	597	248	6	344	8,754	1,296	6,326	1,132	449	39	644
30 TO 34 YEARS	6,801	833	5,333	635	239	5	391	7,128	502	5,558	1,068	397	71	599
35 TO 44 YEARS	11,107	807	9,299	1,001	363	36	602	11,712	551	9,244	1,918	618	294	1,006
45 TO 54 YEARS	11,296	534	9,542	1,119	366	169	584	12,156	537	9,398	2,221	482	876	862
55 TO 64 YEARS, TOTAL	9,320	526	7,752	1,042	250	344	448	10,447	513	7,045	2,889	329	1,992	567
55 TO 59 YEARS	5,016	336	4,113	567	153	149	264	5,545	236	3,903	1,405	218	854	333
60 TO 64 YEARS	4,304	190	3,638	476	97	195	184	4,902	277	3,142	1,484	112	1,138	234
65 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	8,913	395	6,813	1,704	232	1,226	245	12,749	756	4,674	7,319	231	6,732	357
65 TO 69 YEARS	3,548	144	2,948	456	87	247	122	4,501	262	2,310	1,929	118	1,668	143
70 YEARS AND OVER	5,365	252	3,865	1,248	145	979	124	8,248	494	2,364	5,390	113	5,064	214
MEDIAN AGE (YEARS)	38.6	21.4	45.2	50.2	40.9	70.0	43.1	40.7	20.7	42.0	60.1	36.4	70.0	40.8
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE														
TOTAL, 16 YEARS AND OVER	55,246	12,467	38,674	4,104	1,423	539	2,142	37,817	9,083	21,554	7,181	1,801	2,233	3,146
16 TO 19 YEARS, TOTAL	4,352	4,069	253	30	25	-	5	3,819	3,298	418	103	84	-	19
16 AND 17 YEARS	1,733	1,721	7	5	5	-	-	1,497	1,436	43	19	17	-	2
18 AND 19 YEARS	2,619	2,348	247	25	20	-	5	2,322	1,862	375	84	67	-	17
20 TO 24 YEARS	7,377	4,272	2,741	364	207	5	151	6,102	2,975	2,584	543	288	8	247
25 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	14,121	2,541	10,492	1,088	417	9	662	9,016	1,519	5,913	1,584	555	56	972
25 TO 29 YEARS	7,744	1,798	5,414	533	212	4	316	5,159	1,107	3,226	825	307	20	499
30 TO 34 YEARS	6,377	743	5,079	555	205	5	345	3,857	412	2,687	758	249	36	473
35 TO 44 YEARS	10,393	690	8,819	884	284	33	534	6,806	420	5,021	1,365	384	188	792
45 TO 54 YEARS	10,231	480	8,885	867	261	121	478	6,617	412	4,712	1,493	287	542	663
55 TO 64 YEARS, TOTAL	6,935	338	5,957	640	161	199	280	4,377	331	2,567	1,479	172	922	384
55 TO 59 YEARS	4,190	251	3,535	404	106	98	200	2,665	169	1,648	848	124	476	247
60 TO 64 YEARS	2,745	87	2,422	236	55	101	80	1,712	162	919	631	47	446	137
65 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	1,836	76	1,528	232	36	165	32	1,080	127	338	615	30	517	68
65 TO 69 YEARS	1,076	34	942	100	20	65	15	711	84	270	357	20	288	49
70 YEARS AND OVER	760	42	585	132	15	100	17	369	43	69	258	10	228	19
MEDIAN AGE (YEARS)	36.7	22.5	41.6	41.5	37.0	59.8	39.7	35.0	22.1	38.7	45.0	34.5	58.4	39.2
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE														
TOTAL, 16 YEARS AND OVER	76.4	66.5	82.1	63.0	72.9	30.1	77.4	46.8	58.9	45.0	40.9	57.3	22.3	71.4
16 TO 19 YEARS, TOTAL	53.6	52.2	95.1	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	46.2	46.1	44.8	55.1	55.1	(1)	(1)
16 AND 17 YEARS	41.3	41.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	36.4	36.9	25.4	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
18 AND 19 YEARS	66.9	64.8	96.7	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	55.7	57.1	49.1	59.9	59.9	(1)	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	82.5	75.4	95.1	93.2	92.2	(1)	94.4	63.5	72.6	55.3	64.6	59.4	(1)	72.3
25 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	94.9	87.0	97.6	89.9	87.5	(1)	91.5	56.8	84.5	49.8	72.0	65.6	51.0	78.2
25 TO 29 YEARS	93.9	85.9	97.2	91.2	88.8	(1)	93.2	58.9	85.5	51.0	72.9	68.2	(1)	77.5
30 TO 34 YEARS	96.1	89.9	98.0	88.7	86.2	(1)	90.1	54.1	81.9	48.3	71.0	62.6	(1)	79.0
35 TO 44 YEARS	95.3	85.5	96.8	89.3	89.7	(1)	89.0	58.1	76.4	54.3	71.2	62.1	64.1	78.8
45 TO 54 YEARS	90.8	75.8	93.3	77.5	71.6	75.5	81.9	54.4	76.7	50.1	67.2	59.6	61.8	76.9
55 TO 64 YEARS, TOTAL	74.4	64.3	76.9	61.4	64.2	57.8	62.5	41.9	64.5	36.4	51.2	52.1	46.3	67.8
55 TO 59 YEARS	83.6	74.9	86.0	71.2	69.0	65.6	75.6	48.1	71.4	42.2	60.3	57.1	55.7	74.3
60 TO 64 YEARS	63.8	45.7	66.6	49.7	56.6	51.8	43.7	34.9	58.7	29.2	42.5	42.4	39.2	58.5
65 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	20.6	19.2	22.4	13.6	15.3	13.4	13.1	8.5	16.7	7.2	8.4	13.0	7.7	19.2
65 TO 69 YEARS	30.3	23.3	32.0	22.0	23.5	26.4	12.1	15.8	32.0	11.7	18.5	16.8	17.3	34.3
70 YEARS AND OVER	14.2	16.9	15.1	10.6	10.4	10.2	14.0	4.5	8.6	2.9	4.8	8.9	4.5	9.0

[1] Percent not shown where base is less than 75,000.

Table B-1. Population and civilian labor force 16 years old and over, by marital status, age, sex, race and Hispanic origin, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

POPULATION, CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE, AND AGE	MEN							WOMEN						
	TOTAL	NEVER MARRIED	MARRIED SPOUSE PRESENT	OTHER EVER-MARRIED				TOTAL	NEVER MARRIED	MARRIED SPOUSE PRESENT	OTHER EVER-MARRIED			
				TOTAL	MARRIED SPOUSE ABSENT	WIDOWED	DIVORCED				TOTAL	MARRIED SPOUSE ABSENT	WIDOWED	DIVORCED
WHITE														
TOTAL POPULATION														
TOTAL, 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER.	64,933	15,995	43,745	5,192	1,343	1,492	2,358	70,858	12,669	43,722	14,468	2,011	8,744	3,713
16 TO 19 YEARS	6,967	6,633	278	55	50	-	5	7,005	6,006	657	162	129	1	31
20 TO 24 YEARS	8,015	4,901	2,758	357	197	5	154	8,202	3,320	4,209	674	369	13	292
25 TO 34 YEARS	13,568	2,431	10,111	1,026	376	9	641	13,723	1,331	10,761	1,631	514	77	1,040
35 TO 44 YEARS	9,756	663	8,348	745	220	31	494	10,136	409	8,357	1,370	368	178	824
45 TO 54 YEARS	10,131	535	8,785	811	213	126	471	10,765	450	8,615	1,700	281	700	720
55 TO 64 YEARS	8,447	477	7,150	820	157	275	388	9,422	455	6,556	2,412	186	1,720	505
65 YEARS AND OVER.	8,049	354	6,316	1,378	129	1,045	204	11,605	698	4,387	6,520	184	6,055	301
MEDIAN AGE (YEARS)	39.0	21.4	45.4	50.1	37.2	70.0	42.7	41.4	20.5	42.2	62.2	34.8	70.0	41.0
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE														
TOTAL, 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER.	49,651	10,895	35,453	3,344	1,025	450	1,869	32,799	7,754	19,285	5,760	1,185	1,901	2,674
16 TO 19 YEARS	3,908	3,642	240	27	22	-	5	3,419	2,951	376	92	74	-	19
20 TO 24 YEARS	6,508	3,716	2,473	319	168	5	146	5,319	2,522	2,350	447	223	6	218
25 TO 34 YEARS	12,648	2,109	9,622	917	329	7	581	7,569	1,186	5,180	1,203	350	36	816
35 TO 44 YEARS	9,210	580	7,947	684	204	30	450	5,830	326	4,473	1,031	248	117	665
45 TO 54 YEARS	9,335	421	8,232	683	172	102	408	5,801	358	4,262	1,182	175	449	558
55 TO 64 YEARS	6,368	317	5,533	518	109	160	250	3,923	299	2,344	1,280	98	836	346
65 YEARS AND OVER.	1,674	71	1,407	196	22	145	29	938	111	301	526	17	456	52
MEDIAN AGE (YEARS)	36.9	22.4	41.8	41.0	34.8	60.4	39.5	35.2	21.8	38.9	45.9	33.2	59.0	39.3
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE														
TOTAL, 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER.	77.4	68.2	82.3	65.0	78.4	30.1	79.7	46.3	61.2	44.1	39.8	58.9	21.7	72.0
16 TO 19 YEARS	56.5	55.0	86.5	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	48.8	49.1	44.9	57.0	57.1	(1)	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	83.5	76.5	90.5	93.8	92.3	(1)	95.5	64.9	76.0	55.8	66.3	60.2	(1)	74.6
25 TO 34 YEARS	95.6	87.6	98.0	91.1	89.1	(1)	92.4	55.2	89.1	48.1	73.7	68.1	47.3	78.5
35 TO 44 YEARS	96.1	87.3	97.1	92.5	95.2	(1)	91.2	57.5	79.7	53.5	75.3	67.8	65.6	80.8
45 TO 54 YEARS	92.4	78.9	93.9	84.3	81.6	80.7	86.5	53.9	79.5	49.5	69.5	62.3	64.2	77.5
55 TO 64 YEARS	75.4	66.3	77.4	63.2	69.3	58.0	64.4	41.6	65.7	35.8	53.1	52.7	48.6	68.4
65 YEARS AND OVER.	20.8	20.1	22.3	14.2	16.7	13.9	14.3	8.1	16.0	8.9	8.1	10.6	7.5	17.3
BLACK														
TOTAL POPULATION														
TOTAL, 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER.	7,138	2,435	3,436	1,267	610	271	386	8,674	2,426	3,355	2,894	1,081	1,182	631
16 TO 19 YEARS	1,074	1,050	15	10	7	-	3	1,134	1,028	83	24	23	1	-
20 TO 24 YEARS	1,016	690	281	45	39	-	6	1,213	694	368	151	110	1	39
25 TO 34 YEARS	1,397	406	806	186	101	2	82	1,799	400	859	540	322	30	188
35 TO 44 YEARS	1,102	134	736	232	131	4	97	1,353	130	702	522	237	114	171
45 TO 54 YEARS	1,011	82	630	299	150	41	108	1,206	76	634	495	195	167	133
55 TO 64 YEARS	783	42	533	208	85	67	56	928	50	443	435	129	250	56
65 YEARS AND OVER.	755	31	436	288	97	155	35	1,041	48	266	727	65	619	43
MEDIAN AGE (YEARS)	35.7	21.2	43.4	50.4	46.8	67.0	45.5	36.4	21.3	40.2	49.2	38.6	65.7	40.1
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE														
TOTAL, 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER.	4,702	1,348	2,658	696	364	87	245	4,377	1,128	1,903	1,346	590	324	432
16 TO 19 YEARS	383	367	13	3	3	-	-	356	309	38	9	9	-	-
20 TO 24 YEARS	747	474	236	36	33	-	4	673	386	202	85	63	1	21
25 TO 34 YEARS	1,213	339	723	150	79	2	69	1,227	270	601	356	198	17	141
35 TO 44 YEARS	956	103	677	176	101	2	73	852	82	453	316	127	70	120
45 TO 54 YEARS	759	46	535	178	85	24	69	712	46	370	296	107	92	97
55 TO 64 YEARS	500	15	367	118	50	39	30	422	25	202	195	74	85	36
65 YEARS AND OVER.	146	3	108	35	14	19	1	135	10	38	88	13	59	16
MEDIAN AGE (YEARS)	35.1	23.2	40.3	44.0	41.7	58.1	41.9	34.4	23.3	37.5	42.0	37.0	53.1	39.4
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE														
TOTAL, 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER.	66.6	55.4	78.9	55.4	60.7	32.1	63.7	50.5	46.5	56.7	46.5	54.6	27.4	68.5
16 TO 19 YEARS	35.7	35.0	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	31.4	30.1	45.5	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	75.7	69.0	92.1	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	55.5	55.7	54.8	56.5	57.2	(1)	(1)
25 TO 34 YEARS	89.0	83.6	93.3	82.2	80.2	(1)	84.0	68.2	67.5	69.9	65.9	61.4	(1)	75.3
35 TO 44 YEARS	88.1	76.9	93.4	77.5	79.6	(1)	76.3	62.9	63.4	64.6	60.7	53.6	61.3	70.1
45 TO 54 YEARS	79.0	56.0	84.9	59.5	56.8	(1)	63.6	59.1	61.0	58.3	59.7	54.7	54.9	73.2
55 TO 64 YEARS	63.8	(1)	68.7	56.8	58.3	(1)	(1)	45.4	(1)	45.7	44.8	57.3	34.0	(1)
65 YEARS AND OVER.	19.4	(1)	24.8	12.1	14.4	12.5	(1)	13.0	(1)	14.1	12.1	(1)	9.6	(1)

See footnote at end of table.

Table B-1. Population and civilian labor force 16 years old and over, by marital status, age, sex, race and Hispanic origin, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

POPULATION, CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE, AND AGE	MEN							WOMEN						
	TOTAL	NEVER MARRIED	MARRIED SPOUSE PRESENT	OTHER EVER-MARRIED				TOTAL	NEVER MARRIED	MARRIED SPOUSE PRESENT	OTHER EVER-MARRIED			
				TOTAL	MARRIED SPOUSE ABSENT	WIDOWED	DIVORCED				TOTAL	MARRIED SPOUSE ABSENT	WIDOWED	DIVORCED
HISPANIC ORIGIN														
TOTAL POPULATION														
TOTAL, 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER	3,150	932	1,943	276	122	55	99	3,530	784	1,999	767	289	242	236
16 TO 19 YEARS	479	461	15	2	2	-	-	454	374	64	16	11	1	4
20 TO 24 YEARS	470	254	192	25	18	-	7	522	189	265	68	49	-	19
25 TO 34 YEARS	743	122	560	60	35	1	24	685	113	623	149	77	8	64
35 TO 44 YEARS	580	43	476	61	29	-	32	683	31	505	147	65	15	67
45 TO 54 YEARS	467	21	378	48	23	6	19	451	28	305	121	46	27	48
55 TO 64 YEARS	251	25	192	34	6	14	14	295	16	158	122	28	71	23
65 YEARS AND OVER	181	5	129	47	9	34	4	240	16	80	144	13	120	11
MEDIAN AGE (YEARS)	33.1	20.1	39.3	43.4	36.9	(1)	41.0	33.8	20.2	38.0	45.2	36.2	64.8	39.5
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE														
TOTAL, 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER	2,420	566	1,653	201	98	19	84	1,516	386	832	298	107	47	143
16 TO 19 YEARS	214	197	15	2	2	-	-	166	137	22	6	5	-	1
20 TO 24 YEARS	394	201	168	25	18	-	7	259	122	110	27	14	-	13
25 TO 34 YEARS	678	98	524	55	30	1	24	446	79	285	82	31	2	49
35 TO 44 YEARS	535	36	442	56	26	-	30	325	23	229	73	25	7	40
45 TO 54 YEARS	390	15	337	37	20	5	13	215	13	134	68	23	14	31
55 TO 64 YEARS	180	18	144	18	1	7	10	93	10	45	39	7	22	10
65 YEARS AND OVER	30	1	22	7	1	7	-	10	1	7	2	1	2	-
MEDIAN AGE (YEARS)	33.7	22.1	37.7	38.3	36.4	(1)	38.7	32.0	22.3	34.9	39.6	36.0	(1)	37.3
CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE														
TOTAL, 16 YEARS OLD AND OVER	77.7	61.0	86.6	72.6	79.9	(1)	84.7	42.9	50.5	41.6	38.8	37.1	19.4	60.7
16 TO 19 YEARS	44.9	42.9	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	36.5	36.7	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	86.2	79.8	93.5	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	49.7	64.7	41.7	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
25 TO 34 YEARS	92.8	80.9	95.7	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	50.4	70.5	45.7	55.1	40.6	(1)	(1)
35 TO 44 YEARS	93.3	(1)	94.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	47.6	(1)	45.3	49.6	(1)	(1)	(1)
45 TO 54 YEARS	87.6	(1)	89.7	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	47.7	(1)	43.9	56.6	(1)	(1)	(1)
55 TO 64 YEARS	71.9	(1)	75.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	31.5	(1)	28.5	31.6	(1)	(1)	(1)
65 YEARS AND OVER	16.4	(1)	16.9	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	4.2	(1)	8.9	1.6	(1)	1.3	(1)

[1] Rate not shown where base is less than 75,000.

Table C. Major occupation group of employed persons 16 years old and over, by full-time or part-time status, marital status, sex and race, March 1976

(PERCENT DISTRIBUTION)

MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP AND FULL TIME OR PART TIME EMPLOYMENT STATUS	MEN							WOMEN						
	TOTAL	NEVER MARRIED	MARRIED SPOUSE PRESENT	OTHER EVER MARRIED				TOTAL	NEVER MARRIED	MARRIED SPOUSE PRESENT	OTHER EVER MARRIED			
				TOTAL	MARRIED SPOUSE ABSENT	WIDOWED	DIVORCED				TOTAL	MARRIED SPOUSE ABSENT	WIDOWED	DIVORCED
ALL EMPLOYED PERSONS														
ALL OCCUPATION GROUPS														
NUMBER (THOUSANDS)	50,924	10,582	36,735	3,607	1,233	489	1,885	34,609	8,024	20,023	6,562	1,553	2,097	2,912
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
PROFESSIONAL-TECHNICAL	15.4	13.1	16.4	11.8	11.4	12.6	11.8	16.2	16.4	17.4	12.4	9.3	10.9	15.1
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	14.2	6.2	16.6	12.8	10.6	13.6	14.1	5.7	3.8	6.2	6.5	4.4	7.2	7.2
SALES	6.1	6.0	6.2	5.6	3.0	5.1	7.4	6.6	7.5	6.4	6.0	4.2	8.3	5.3
CLERICAL	6.3	8.9	5.6	6.8	6.7	8.3	6.5	35.1	37.1	35.5	31.2	28.8	26.9	35.5
CRAFT	20.5	12.7	22.6	22.4	21.3	19.6	23.8	1.4	1.2	1.5	1.5	2.0	0.7	1.7
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	11.3	13.1	10.8	11.8	13.5	7.7	11.7	11.8	6.7	12.6	13.4	17.0	12.4	12.1
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	5.7	4.3	6.1	6.4	6.3	2.7	7.4	.6	.4	.7	.8	1.0	.4	.9
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	7.1	14.1	5.0	7.7	9.5	10.8	5.7	1.1	1.4	.9	1.3	1.7	1.0	1.4
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	.1	.1	-	.1	-	0.7	-	3.2	5.0	1.9	5.0	5.9	7.7	2.6
SERVICE, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	9.0	16.6	6.6	11.2	14.3	9.7	9.5	17.8	19.8	15.9	21.5	25.2	23.1	18.3
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	2.6	1.4	3.0	1.9	1.3	6.2	1.1	.2	.1	.2	.5	.1	1.3	.1
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	1.6	3.3	1.1	1.7	2.0	3.2	1.1	.7	.5	.9	.2	.3	.2	-
FULL TIME [1]														
ALL OCCUPATION GROUPS, TOTAL	90.1	78.1	95.7	91.1	91.5	81.7	93.3	71.0	64.0	71.1	79.1	88.7	67.8	86.4
PROFESSIONAL-TECHNICAL	14.2	10.5	15.7	10.4	10.1	9.8	10.7	12.4	13.3	12.6	10.7	7.8	8.7	13.7
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	13.8	5.8	16.2	12.1	10.5	11.7	13.3	5.0	3.6	5.2	6.0	4.3	6.1	6.6
SALES	5.3	3.7	5.8	5.0	2.1	4.6	7.1	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.7	3.4	3.7	4.0
CLERICAL	5.5	6.1	5.3	6.4	6.6	7.1	6.0	26.7	26.7	26.7	26.9	25.2	20.6	32.2
CRAFT	19.7	11.3	22.0	20.6	19.8	17.9	21.8	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.9	.6	1.3
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	10.6	10.3	10.6	11.4	13.0	7.0	11.5	10.1	5.6	11.3	11.8	15.3	10.3	11.0
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	5.3	3.3	5.8	6.0	5.9	2.1	7.1	.3	.3	.2	.4	.6	.1	.4
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	5.5	8.2	4.6	6.4	8.1	7.5	4.9	.8	.9	.7	1.0	1.2	.5	1.2
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	-	.1	-	-	-	-	-	.9	1.2	.5	1.7	2.5	2.3	.9
SERVICE, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	6.7	8.0	6.0	9.8	12.4	7.0	8.9	10.0	8.2	8.8	15.4	18.4	14.1	14.8
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	2.3	1.2	2.6	1.6	1.2	4.9	1.1	.1	-	.1	.3	.1	.7	.1
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	1.2	1.9	1.0	1.4	1.9	2.3	.8	.4	.3	.6	.1	.2	.1	-
PART TIME [1]														
ALL OCCUPATION GROUPS, TOTAL	9.9	28.9	4.3	8.9	8.5	18.3	6.7	29.0	36.0	28.9	20.9	19.3	32.2	13.6
PROFESSIONAL-TECHNICAL	1.1	2.6	.7	1.4	1.3	2.8	1.0	3.8	3.1	4.8	1.7	1.7	8.1	1.4
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	.4	.4	.4	.7	-	1.9	.8	.7	.3	1.0	.5	.1	1.0	.4
SALES	.8	2.4	.4	.5	.8	.5	.4	3.4	4.5	3.3	2.3	.8	4.6	1.3
CLERICAL	.8	2.8	.3	.4	.2	1.2	.4	8.3	10.5	8.8	4.3	3.6	6.3	3.2
CRAFT	.8	1.4	.6	1.8	1.5	1.7	2.0	.3	.3	.3	.3	.1	.2	.4
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	.8	2.9	.2	.4	.5	.7	.2	1.3	1.0	1.3	1.5	1.7	2.1	1.1
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	.5	1.1	.3	.4	.4	.6	.2	.4	.2	.5	.4	.4	.3	.5
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	1.6	6.0	.3	1.3	1.5	3.3	.7	.3	.5	.2	.3	.5	.4	.1
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	-	.1	-	.1	-	.7	-	2.3	3.8	1.4	3.3	3.4	5.4	1.7
SERVICE, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	2.3	8.7	.5	1.4	2.0	2.7	.6	7.9	11.8	6.9	8.0	6.9	9.0	3.5
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	.3	.2	.4	.3	.1	1.3	.1	.1	.1	.1	.2	-	.6	-
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	.4	1.5	.1	.3	.1	.9	.3	.3	.2	.4	.1	.1	.1	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table C. Major occupation group of employed persons 16 years old and over, by full-time or part-time status, marital status, sex and race, March 1976—Continued

(PERCENT DISTRIBUTION)

MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP AND FULL TIME OR PART TIME EMPLOYMENT STATUS	MEN							WOMEN						
	TOTAL	NEVER MARRIED	MARRIED SPOUSE PRESENT	OTHER EVER MARRIED				TOTAL	NEVER MARRIED	MARRIED SPOUSE PRESENT	OTHER EVER MARRIED			
				TOTAL	MARRIED SPOUSE ABSENT	WIDOWED	DIVORCED				TOTAL	MARRIED SPOUSE ABSENT	WIDOWED	DIVORCED
WHITE														
ALL OCCUPATION GROUPS														
NUMBER (THOUSANDS)	46,087	9,355	33,762	2,970	899	412	1,659	30,222	6,966	17,958	5,298	1,024	1,800	2,474
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
PROFESSIONAL-TECHNICAL	16.0	13.6	17.0	12.6	13.0	14.6	11.9	16.5	16.5	17.5	13.1	10.1	11.7	15.3
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	15.1	6.6	17.5	14.4	13.2	13.7	15.3	6.1	6.0	6.5	7.5	5.6	8.0	7.9
SALES	6.5	8.4	6.6	6.5	4.0	6.0	8.1	7.2	7.8	6.9	7.2	5.6	9.5	6.1
CLERICAL	6.2	8.9	5.3	7.1	6.8	9.9	6.5	36.4	37.3	36.8	34.0	33.7	29.9	37.0
CRAFT	21.0	12.8	23.1	23.1	21.7	21.1	24.3	1.5	1.3	1.5	1.4	2.3	.7	1.5
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	11.0	12.8	10.4	12.1	15.3	7.9	11.4	10.7	5.8	12.0	12.7	14.9	12.7	11.7
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	5.4	4.3	5.6	5.6	4.3	2.9	7.1	.7	0.5	.7	.8	1.6	.4	.8
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	6.4	13.5	4.4	6.5	8.6	7.7	5.1	1.1	1.4	.9	1.5	2.3	1.1	1.4
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	-	.1	-	-	-	-	-	2.2	4.8	1.1	2.6	2.2	4.2	1.7
SERVICE, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	8.1	16.1	5.8	8.7	10.2	7.7	8.2	16.6	19.8	14.8	18.7	21.4	20.2	16.6
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	2.4	1.6	3.2	2.2	1.8	6.9	1.3	.2	.1	.2	.5	.2	1.2	.1
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	1.5	3.4	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.7	.8	.8	.6	1.0	.2	.3	.2	-
FULL TIME[1]														
ALL OCCUPATION GROUPS, TOTAL	90.0	69.0	95.7	91.8	92.8	83.1	93.4	70.2	62.6	70.3	79.7	80.6	69.3	86.8
PROFESSIONAL-TECHNICAL	14.8	10.8	16.2	11.3	11.9	11.2	11.1	19.4	13.3	12.4	11.1	7.6	9.4	13.9
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	14.7	6.2	17.1	13.6	13.2	11.4	14.3	5.3	3.7	5.4	6.9	5.4	6.9	7.4
SALES	5.7	3.8	6.2	5.9	2.8	5.4	7.7	3.5	3.2	3.3	4.4	4.5	4.2	4.6
CLERICAL	5.3	6.0	5.0	6.6	6.5	8.4	6.2	27.5	26.5	27.4	29.1	29.5	22.8	33.5
CRAFT	20.1	11.3	22.5	21.2	20.2	19.6	22.2	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.2	2.2	.5	1.2
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	10.3	9.9	10.2	11.8	14.8	7.1	11.3	9.5	4.9	10.8	11.2	14.1	10.4	10.6
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	4.9	3.1	5.4	5.3	3.7	2.5	6.8	.3	.3	.2	.4	.8	.1	.4
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	4.9	7.5	4.1	5.5	7.8	5.4	4.3	.8	.8	.6	1.1	1.5	.8	1.3
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.7	1.1	.4	1.1	.8	1.8	.7
SERVICE, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	5.9	7.2	5.3	7.9	9.3	5.9	7.7	8.6	7.5	7.8	12.8	13.9	11.8	13.1
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	2.4	1.4	2.8	1.9	1.5	5.4	1.2	.1	-	.1	.3	.2	.7	.1
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	1.1	1.9	.9	.9	1.2	.9	.7	.5	.3	.6	.1	.2	.1	-
PART TIME[2]														
ALL OCCUPATION GROUPS, TOTAL	10.0	31.0	4.3	8.2	7.2	16.9	6.6	29.8	37.4	29.7	20.3	19.4	30.7	13.2
PROFESSIONAL-TECHNICAL	1.2	2.8	.7	1.3	1.2	3.3	.9	4.1	3.2	5.1	1.9	2.5	2.4	1.4
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	.4	.4	.4	.9	.1	2.3	.9	.8	.3	1.1	.6	.2	1.1	.5
SALES	.9	2.6	.4	.7	.2	.6	.4	3.7	4.6	3.6	2.7	1.1	5.3	1.8
CLERICAL	.8	2.9	.3	.5	.2	1.5	.4	9.0	10.8	9.5	4.9	4.2	7.1	3.5
CRAFT	.9	1.5	.6	1.8	.6	1.5	2.0	.3	.3	.3	.2	.2	.2	.2
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	.8	2.8	.2	.3	.5	.8	.1	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.4	.8	2.2	1.1
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	.5	1.2	.3	.4	.4	.4	.3	.4	.2	.5	.4	.6	.3	.5
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	1.5	6.0	.3	1.0	.8	2.3	.8	.3	.5	.2	.3	.8	.5	.1
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	-	.1	-	-	-	-	-	1.6	3.8	.7	1.6	1.4	2.4	1.0
SERVICE, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	2.2	8.9	.5	.8	.9	1.8	.5	8.0	12.4	7.0	5.9	7.5	8.4	3.5
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	.4	.2	.4	.3	.2	1.5	.1	.1	.1	.1	.2	-	.6	-
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	.4	1.5	.1	.2	.1	.7	.2	.3	.3	.4	.1	.1	.2	-

See footnotes at end of table.

Table C. Major occupation group of employed persons 16 years old and over, by full-time or part-time status, marital status, sex and race, March 1976—Continued

(PERCENT DISTRIBUTION)

MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP AND FULL TIME OR PART TIME EMPLOYMENT STATUS	MEN							WOMEN						
	TOTAL	NEVER MARRIED	MARRIED SPOUSE PRESENT	OTHER EVER MARRIED				TOTAL	NEVER MARRIED	MARRIED SPOUSE PRESENT	OTHER EVER MARRIED			
				TOTAL	MARRIED SPOUSE ABSENT	WIDOWED	DIVORCED				TOTAL	MARRIED SPOUSE ABSENT	WIDOWED	DIVORCED
BLACK														
ALL OCCUPATION GROUPS														
NUMBER (THOUSANDS)	4,014	990	2,441	583	304	75	205	3,804	876	1,726	1,202	512	288	402
PERCENT	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
PROFESSIONAL-TECHNICAL	7.2	7.6	6.9	7.3	7.5	-	9.7	13.1	14.5	15.3	9.0	7.6	5.7	13.1
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	4.4	2.2	5.1	4.9	3.0	13.5	4.7	2.6	2.3	2.9	2.6	2.2	2.0	3.4
SALES	1.9	3.3	1.4	1.0	-	-	2.9	2.3	4.4	2.2	1.1	1.7	1.1	.2
CLERICAL	7.5	8.7	7.7	5.0	5.2	-	6.4	24.4	34.3	23.3	18.7	19.9	7.3	25.3
CRAFT	15.7	10.1	17.2	19.4	20.9	11.7	19.8	1.0	.4	.6	2.0	1.4	1.0	3.4
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	16.1	17.3	16.9	10.8	8.9	6.6	15.2	16.1	13.8	17.0	16.6	20.8	10.7	15.5
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	10.6	5.8	12.7	9.6	11.8	1.8	9.2	.5	.2	.6	.6	.3	-	1.3
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	14.5	20.8	12.1	13.8	12.9	28.3	9.9	1.2	1.6	1.3	.7	.5	-	1.5
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	.2	.1	.1	.5	-	4.3	-	11.0	6.8	10.1	15.5	13.6	29.1	8.3
SERVICE, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	18.2	20.9	15.9	22.7	25.7	20.1	19.2	27.4	21.7	26.6	32.8	31.7	41.7	27.8
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	.8	-	1.3	.5	.5	2.0	-	.1	-	-	.4	-	1.5	-
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	2.9	3.0	2.5	4.3	3.5	11.8	2.9	.1	.1	.1	.2	.2	-	.2
FULL TIME[1]														
ALL OCCUPATION GROUPS, TOTAL	90.6	80.1	95.5	87.3	87.3	72.9	92.5	76.8	74.8	78.0	76.5	80.4	57.4	85.1
PROFESSIONAL-TECHNICAL	6.6	7.0	6.6	5.6	5.6	-	7.7	11.6	12.4	13.4	8.4	7.3	5.1	12.3
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	4.2	2.0	5.0	4.9	3.0	13.5	4.7	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.2	1.4	3.4
SALES	1.6	2.7	1.4	1.0	-	-	2.9	1.2	1.2	1.5	.8	1.4	.6	.2
CLERICAL	7.0	6.6	7.6	4.7	5.2	-	5.8	21.2	27.7	20.8	16.9	17.4	6.0	24.2
CRAFT	15.2	9.4	16.9	17.4	19.4	9.2	17.5	.8	.4	.6	1.4	1.4	1.0	1.6
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	14.9	14.5	16.3	10.1	8.2	6.6	14.3	14.5	12.1	15.8	14.4	17.4	9.3	14.2
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	10.1	5.7	12.1	9.4	11.8	-	9.2	.3	-	.5	.3	.3	-	.4
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	12.3	15.9	11.3	10.7	9.2	19.3	9.9	1.0	1.3	1.2	.6	.5	-	1.0
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	-	.1	-	-	-	-	-	2.8	2.5	1.7	4.6	6.1	5.0	2.6
SERVICE, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	15.5	14.9	14.9	19.0	20.9	12.3	18.6	20.9	14.9	20.0	26.5	26.3	28.3	25.4
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	.8	-	1.2	.5	.5	2.0	-	.1	-	-	.2	-	.8	-
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	2.2	1.5	2.2	3.8	3.5	10.1	2.0	.1	-	.1	.1	.2	-	-
PART TIME[2]														
ALL OCCUPATION GROUPS, TOTAL	9.4	19.6	4.5	12.7	12.7	27.1	7.5	23.2	25.2	22.0	23.5	19.6	42.6	14.9
PROFESSIONAL-TECHNICAL	.6	.6	.3	1.7	1.9	-	2.0	1.5	2.1	1.9	.6	.3	.6	.8
MANAGERS AND ADMINISTRATORS, EXCEPT FARM	.1	.2	.1	-	-	-	-	.2	-	.4	.2	-	.7	-
SALES	.3	.6	.2	-	-	-	-	1.1	3.2	.7	.3	.4	.6	-
CLERICAL	.6	2.0	.1	.2	-	-	.7	3.2	6.5	2.5	1.8	2.6	1.2	1.2
CRAFT	.6	.7	.2	2.0	1.6	2.5	2.4	.2	-	-	.6	-	-	1.9
OPERATIVES, EXCEPT TRANSPORT	1.2	2.9	.6	.7	.7	-	.9	1.6	1.7	1.2	2.2	3.4	1.4	1.3
TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT OPERATIVES	.5	.2	.6	.2	-	1.8	-	.2	.2	.1	.3	-	-	.8
LABORERS, EXCEPT FARM	2.2	4.8	.9	3.1	3.8	9.0	-	.2	.3	.1	.2	-	-	.5
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	.1	-	.1	.5	-	4.3	-	8.2	4.2	8.4	10.9	7.5	24.1	5.7
SERVICE, EXCEPT PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	2.6	6.1	1.0	3.7	4.9	7.8	.6	6.6	6.8	6.6	6.3	5.5	13.4	2.4
FARMERS AND FARM MANAGERS	-	-	.1	-	-	-	-	.1	-	-	.2	-	.7	-
FARM LABORERS AND SUPERVISORS	.7	1.6	.4	.6	-	1.7	.9	.1	.1	.1	.1	-	-	.2

[1] Full-time workers are persons who during the survey week worked 35 hours or more and those who usually work full time but worked 1 to 34 hours.

[2] Part-time workers are persons who usually work 1 to 34 hours and worked 1 to 34 hours during the survey week. Persons with a job but not at work are classified by whether they usually work full or part time.

Table D. Labor force and marital status of women 16 years old and over, by age and presence and age of own children, March 1976.

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND AGE OF WOMEN	LABOR FORCE AND MARITAL STATUS								
	NEVER-MARRIED WOMEN			ALL EVER-MARRIED WOMEN					
				TOTAL			MARRIED, HUSBAND PRESENT		
	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE
ALL PERSONS									
TOTAL	15,409	9,083	58.9	65,425	28,734	43.9	47,852	21,554	45.0
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	14,756	8,786	59.5	35,509	14,137	39.8	22,490	9,860	43.8
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	12,484	7,534	60.3	5,506	4,225	76.7	4,532	3,433	75.7
16 TO 19 YEARS	7,081	3,268	46.2	635	355	55.9	527	293	55.6
20 TO 24 YEARS	3,824	2,850	74.5	2,345	1,845	78.7	2,011	1,577	78.4
25 TO 34 YEARS	1,579	1,416	89.7	2,526	2,025	80.1	1,994	1,563	78.4
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	2,272	1,253	55.1	30,003	9,912	33.0	17,958	6,427	35.8
35 TO 44 YEARS	487	389	79.9	1,842	1,256	68.2	1,344	869	64.7
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	1,784	863	48.4	28,161	8,656	30.7	16,614	5,558	33.5
45 TO 54 YEARS	518	405	78.2	6,926	3,915	56.5	5,433	2,850	52.5
55 YEARS AND OVER	1,266	458	36.2	21,235	4,742	22.3	11,180	2,708	24.2
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	653	297	45.4	29,916	14,598	48.8	25,361	11,693	46.1
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	568	259	45.6	15,211	6,920	45.5	12,959	5,482	42.3
16 TO 19 YEARS	74	30	(1)	484	166	34.3	404	125	30.9
20 TO 24 YEARS	275	126	45.8	3,170	1,281	40.4	2,664	1,007	37.8
25 TO 34 YEARS	219	103	47.2	11,558	5,472	47.3	9,890	4,350	44.0
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	85	37	44.0	14,705	7,678	52.2	12,403	6,212	50.1
35 TO 44 YEARS	63	31	(1)	9,319	5,130	55.0	7,899	4,151	52.6
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	22	6	(1)	5,385	2,548	47.3	4,503	2,060	45.7
45 TO 54 YEARS	19	6	(1)	4,693	2,290	48.8	3,965	1,862	47.0
55 YEARS AND OVER	3	-	(1)	692	258	37.2	539	198	36.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY, NONE YOUNGER, TOTAL	184	99	53.8	16,434	9,239	56.2	13,543	7,270	53.7
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	116	67	58.0	3,838	2,344	61.1	2,985	1,715	57.4
16 TO 19 YEARS	-	-	(1)	22	13	(1)	22	13	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	13	12	(1)	104	68	65.3	76	45	59.9
25 TO 34 YEARS	103	56	54.1	3,711	2,262	61.0	2,887	1,656	57.4
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	67	31	(1)	12,596	6,896	54.7	10,558	5,555	52.6
35 TO 44 YEARS	48	27	(1)	7,386	4,409	59.7	6,205	3,543	57.1
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	19	5	(1)	5,211	2,487	47.7	4,353	2,012	46.2
45 TO 54 YEARS	16	5	(1)	4,524	2,231	49.3	3,818	1,814	47.5
55 YEARS AND OVER	3	-	(1)	687	256	37.3	535	198	37.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN 14 TO 17 YEARS ONLY, NONE YOUNGER	29	18	(1)	4,802	2,749	57.2	3,984	2,194	55.1
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	9	6	(1)	146	111	75.6	116	86	74.0
16 TO 19 YEARS	-	-	(1)	3	2	(1)	3	2	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	-	-	(1)	8	7	(1)	8	7	(1)
25 TO 34 YEARS	9	6	(1)	135	102	75.8	105	77	74.1
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	20	12	(1)	4,656	2,638	56.7	3,868	2,108	54.5
35 TO 44 YEARS	10	8	(1)	1,897	1,218	64.2	1,578	974	61.7
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	10	3	(1)	2,759	1,421	51.5	2,291	1,134	49.5
45 TO 54 YEARS	9	3	(1)	2,255	1,219	54.0	1,891	977	51.7
55 YEARS AND OVER	1	-	(1)	504	202	40.1	399	157	39.4

See footnote at end of table.

Table D. Labor force and marital status of women 16 years old and over, by age and presence and age of own children, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND AGE OF WOMEN	LABOR FORCE AND MARITAL STATUS								
	NEVER-MARRIED WOMEN			ALL EVER-MARRIED WOMEN					
				TOTAL			MARRIED, HUSBAND PRESENT		
	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE
ALL PERSONS—Continued									
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS—Continued									
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 13 YEARS ONLY, NONE YOUNGER. .	155	81	52.4	11,632	6,490	55.8	9,550	5,076	53.1
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL. . . .	107	61	57.1	3,691	2,233	60.5	2,869	1,629	56.8
16 TO 19 YEARS	-	-	(1)	19	12	(1)	19	12	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	13	12	(1)	95	61	64.0	87	39	(1)
25 TO 34 YEARS	94	50	52.8	3,576	2,160	60.4	2,782	1,578	56.7
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL . .	47	20	(1)	7,941	4,257	53.6	6,690	3,447	51.5
35 TO 44 YEARS	38	18	(1)	5,489	3,191	58.1	4,628	2,569	55.5
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL .	9	1	(1)	2,452	1,066	43.5	2,062	878	42.6
45 TO 54 YEARS	7	1	(1)	2,269	1,012	44.6	1,926	837	43.4
55 YEARS AND OVER. . . .	2	-	(1)	183	54	29.4	136	41	30.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS, TOTAL.	470	198	42.1	13,482	5,358	39.7	11,819	4,424	37.4
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL. . . .	452	192	42.4	11,374	4,576	40.2	9,974	3,767	37.8
16 TO 19 YEARS	74	30	(1)	461	152	33.0	382	111	29.1
20 TO 24 YEARS	261	114	43.7	3,066	1,214	39.6	2,588	962	37.2
25 TO 34 YEARS	117	48	41.0	7,846	3,210	40.9	7,003	2,695	38.5
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL . .	18	6	(1)	2,108	782	37.1	1,845	656	35.6
35 TO 44 YEARS	15	4	(1)	1,934	721	37.3	1,694	608	35.9
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL . .	3	2	(1)	174	61	35.0	151	48	31.9
45 TO 54 YEARS	3	2	(1)	169	59	35.1	147	48	32.7
55 YEARS AND OVER. . . .	-	-	(1)	5	2	(1)	3	-	(1)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS, NONE UNDER 3	180	99	55.1	5,990	2,827	47.2	5,044	2,227	44.1
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL. . . .	173	93	53.7	4,555	2,240	49.2	3,788	1,723	45.5
16 TO 19 YEARS	10	5	(1)	28	14	...	22	11	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	164	88	56.3	825	441	53.4	607	307	50.6
25 TO 34 YEARS	59	29	(1)	3,703	1,786	48.2	3,158	1,405	44.5
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL . .	7	6	(1)	1,435	587	40.9	1,257	504	40.1
35 TO 44 YEARS	4	4	(1)	1,281	536	41.8	1,123	463	41.2
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL .	3	2	(1)	154	51	33.0	134	41	30.9
45 TO 54 YEARS	3	2	(1)	149	49	33.0	130	41	31.7
55 YEARS AND OVER. . . .	-	-	(1)	5	2	(1)	3	-	(1)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS	290	99	34.1	7,491	2,531	33.8	6,774	2,197	32.4
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL. . . .	279	99	35.4	6,819	2,336	34.3	6,186	2,045	33.0
16 TO 19 YEARS	64	24	(1)	434	139	31.9	360	100	27.9
20 TO 24 YEARS	157	56	35.3	2,241	773	34.5	1,981	655	33.0
25 TO 34 YEARS	58	19	(1)	4,144	1,424	34.4	3,845	1,290	33.5
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL . .	11	-	(1)	673	196	29.1	588	152	25.9
35 TO 44 YEARS	11	-	(1)	652	185	28.4	571	145	25.5
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL .	-	-	(1)	20	10	(1)	17	7	(1)
45 TO 54 YEARS	-	-	(1)	20	10	(1)	17	7	(1)
55 YEARS AND OVER. . . .	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)

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Table D. Labor force and marital status of women 16 years old and over, by age and presence and age of own children, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND AGE OF WOMEN	LABOR FORCE AND MARITAL STATUS											
	TOTAL			ALL OTHER EVER-MARRIED WOMEN								
				MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT			WIDOWED			DIVORCED		
	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	17,573	7,181	40.9	3,145	1,801	57.3	10,020	2,233	22.3	4,408	3,146	71.4
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	13,019	4,276	32.8	1,410	821	58.2	9,315	1,880	20.2	2,294	1,576	68.7
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	974	792	81.2	455	347	76.4	30	21	(1)	490	423	86.4
16 TO 19 YEARS	107	62	57.6	95	55	57.7	-	-	(1)	12	7	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	335	268	80.1	185	141	76.3	5	3	(1)	145	124	85.5
25 TO 34 YEARS	532	462	86.7	175	151	86.7	25	18	(1)	323	293	87.9
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	12,045	3,485	28.9	955	474	49.6	9,285	1,859	20.0	1,804	1,152	63.9
35 TO 44 YEARS	498	386	77.6	141	93	65.6	72	60	(1)	285	234	82.0
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	11,547	3,098	26.8	814	381	46.8	9,214	1,799	19.5	1,519	919	60.5
45 TO 54 YEARS	1,492	1,064	71.3	286	189	66.2	593	396	66.8	613	479	78.0
55 YEARS AND OVER	10,054	2,034	20.2	528	192	36.3	8,621	1,402	16.3	906	440	48.6
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	4,554	2,904	63.8	1,735	980	56.5	705	354	50.2	2,114	1,571	74.3
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	2,253	1,438	63.8	1,029	580	56.4	97	43	44.5	1,126	814	72.3
16 TO 19 YEARS	79	41	51.7	58	29	(1)	2	-	(1)	19	12	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	505	275	54.3	300	147	49.1	9	5	(1)	196	123	62.5
25 TO 34 YEARS	1,668	1,122	67.3	672	404	60.1	85	38	45.1	911	680	74.7
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	2,302	1,467	63.7	706	399	56.6	608	311	51.1	988	756	76.6
35 TO 44 YEARS	1,420	979	68.9	477	291	61.1	222	129	57.8	721	559	77.5
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	882	488	55.3	229	108	47.2	386	182	47.2	267	198	74.1
45 TO 54 YEARS	728	428	58.8	196	98	49.9	283	145	51.4	249	185	74.2
55 YEARS AND OVER	154	60	38.9	32	10	(1)	103	37	35.6	18	13	(1)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY, NONE YOUNGER, TOTAL	2,891	1,970	68.1	862	527	61.2	612	318	51.9	1,417	1,125	79.3
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	853	629	73.8	277	180	65.1	51	27	(1)	525	422	80.5
16 TO 19 YEARS	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	28	23	(1)	15	12	(1)	2	2	(1)	11	9	(1)
25 TO 34 YEARS	825	607	73.6	262	168	64.4	49	25	(1)	513	413	80.4
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	2,038	1,340	65.8	584	347	59.4	561	291	51.8	893	702	78.7
35 TO 44 YEARS	1,180	865	73.3	364	245	67.4	179	109	60.7	637	511	80.2
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	858	475	55.3	220	102	46.1	382	182	47.7	256	191	74.8
45 TO 54 YEARS	706	417	59.0	188	92	48.8	279	145	52.1	239	180	75.2
55 YEARS AND OVER	152	58	38.2	32	10	(1)	103	37	35.6	16	11	(1)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 14 TO 17 YEARS ONLY, NONE YOUNGER	818	555	67.8	198	119	60.2	289	164	56.6	331	272	82.2
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	31	25	(1)	6	3	(1)	2	2	(1)	23	20	(1)
16 TO 19 YEARS	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)
25 TO 34 YEARS	31	25	(1)	6	3	(1)	2	2	(1)	23	20	(1)
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	787	530	67.3	192	116	60.5	288	162	56.4	308	252	81.8
35 TO 44 YEARS	319	244	76.3	97	73	75.0	54	34	(1)	168	136	81.3
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	468	286	61.2	94	43	45.4	234	128	54.8	140	116	82.4
45 TO 54 YEARS	363	241	66.4	78	38	48.4	160	100	62.1	125	104	83.1
55 YEARS AND OVER	105	45	43.0	17	5	(1)	73	28	(1)	15	11	(1)

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Table D. Labor force and marital status of women 16 years old and over, by age and presence and age of own children, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND AGE OF WOMEN	LABOR FORCE AND MARITAL STATUS											
	TOTAL			MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT			ALL OTHER EVER-MARRIED WOMEN					
							WIDOWED			DIVORCED		
	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE
ALL PERSONS—Continued												
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS—Continued												
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 13 YEARS ONLY, NONE YOUNGER	2,073	1,415	68.2	664	408	61.5	393	154	47.6	1,086	852	78.5
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	822	604	73.5	271	177	65.3	49	25	(1)	502	402	80.1
16 TO 19 YEARS	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	28	23	(1)	15	12	(1)	2	2	(1)	11	9	(1)
25 TO 34 YEARS	794	582	73.3	256	166	64.7	48	24	(1)	490	393	80.1
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	1,251	810	64.8	393	231	58.9	274	129	47.1	585	450	77.0
35 TO 44 YEARS	861	622	72.2	267	172	64.6	125	75	59.7	469	375	79.9
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	390	189	48.3	126	59	46.7	149	54	36.4	115	76	65.5
45 TO 54 YEARS	343	176	51.2	110	54	49.1	119	46	38.6	114	76	66.5
55 YEARS AND OVER	47	13	(1)	16	5	(1)	30	8	(1)	2	-	(1)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS, TOTAL	1,663	935	56.2	873	452	51.8	93	36	39.0	697	446	64.1
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	1,400	808	57.8	752	400	53.2	46	17	(1)	601	392	65.2
16 TO 19 YEARS	79	41	51.7	58	29	(1)	2	-	(1)	19	12	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	477	292	52.8	284	135	47.6	8	3	(1)	185	114	61.3
25 TO 34 YEARS	843	515	61.1	410	235	57.3	36	13	(1)	397	267	67.2
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	263	126	47.9	121	52	43.1	47	20	(1)	95	54	57.0
35 TO 44 YEARS	240	113	47.2	113	46	40.7	43	20	(1)	84	48	56.9
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	24	13	(1)	8	6	(1)	4	-	(1)	11	7	(1)
45 TO 54 YEARS	22	11	(1)	8	6	(1)	4	-	(1)	10	5	(1)
55 YEARS AND OVER	2	2	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	2	2	(1)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS, NONE UNDER 3	946	600	63.4	412	248	60.1	55	23	(1)	479	329	68.7
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	767	517	67.4	329	213	64.7	27	14	(1)	412	291	70.5
16 TO 19 YEARS	5	3	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	5	3	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	218	134	61.4	95	56	58.7	3	3	(1)	119	74	62.5
25 TO 34 YEARS	545	381	69.9	234	157	67.2	23	11	(1)	287	213	74.2
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	178	83	46.4	83	35	41.7	28	10	(1)	67	38	(1)
35 TO 44 YEARS	158	73	46.4	77	30	39.4	24	10	(1)	57	34	(1)
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	20	9	(1)	7	5	(1)	4	-	(1)	10	5	(1)
45 TO 54 YEARS	18	8	(1)	7	5	(1)	4	-	(1)	8	3	(1)
55 YEARS AND OVER	2	2	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	2	2	(1)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS	717	335	46.7	461	205	44.3	38	13	(1)	218	117	53.8
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL	632	291	46.1	423	187	44.2	19	3	(1)	190	101	53.5
16 TO 19 YEARS	74	38	...	58	29	(1)	2	-	(1)	14	9	(1)
20 TO 24 YEARS	260	119	45.6	189	79	42.0	5	-	(1)	66	39	(1)
25 TO 34 YEARS	298	135	45.1	176	78	44.3	12	3	(1)	110	54	48.9
35 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	85	43	51.1	38	18	(1)	19	10	(1)	28	16	(1)
35 TO 44 YEARS	81	40	48.9	36	16	(1)	19	10	(1)	26	14	(1)
45 YEARS AND OVER, TOTAL	4	4	(1)	2	2	(1)	-	-	(1)	2	2	(1)
45 TO 54 YEARS	4	4	(1)	2	2	(1)	-	-	(1)	2	2	(1)
55 YEARS AND OVER	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	-	-	(1)

[1] Rate not shown where base is less than 75,000

Table D-1. Labor force and marital status of women 16 years old and over, by age and presence and age of own children, race and Hispanic origin, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

AGE OF WOMEN BY PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND RACE	LABOR FORCE AND MARITAL STATUS								
	NEVER-MARRIED WOMEN			ALL EVER-MARRIED WOMEN					
				TOTAL			HUSBAND PRESENT		
	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE
WHITE									
TOTAL	12,669	7,754	61.2	58,189	25,045	43.0	43,722	19,285	44.1
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	12,453	7,655	61.5	31,983	12,602	39.4	20,628	9,030	43.8
16 TO 34 YEARS	10,463	6,571	62.8	5,030	3,887	77.3	4,194	3,208	76.5
35 YEARS AND OVER	1,990	1,084	54.5	26,953	8,714	32.3	16,434	5,821	35.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	216	99	45.8	26,207	12,444	47.5	22,893	10,256	44.8
16 TO 34 YEARS	194	89	45.9	13,243	5,760	43.5	11,613	4,698	40.5
35 YEARS AND OVER	22	10	(1)	12,964	6,683	51.6	11,281	5,558	49.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 ONLY, NONE YOUNGER, TOTAL	53	33	(1)	14,495	8,029	55.4	12,362	6,516	52.7
16 TO 34 YEARS	33	23	(1)	3,299	1,965	59.5	2,702	1,508	55.8
35 YEARS AND OVER	20	10	(1)	11,196	6,064	54.2	9,660	5,009	51.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN 14 TO 17 YEARS, NONE YOUNGER	7	3	(1)	4,296	2,466	57.4	3,669	2,019	55.0
16 TO 34 YEARS	1	-	(1)	127	97	76.4	103	74	72.4
35 YEARS AND OVER	6	3	(1)	4,169	2,369	56.8	3,567	1,944	54.5
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 13 YEARS, NONE YOUNGER	46	30	(1)	10,199	5,563	54.5	8,693	4,498	51.7
16 TO 34 YEARS	32	23	(1)	3,172	1,867	58.9	2,599	1,433	55.1
35 YEARS AND OVER	14	7	(1)	7,027	3,695	52.6	6,094	3,064	50.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	162	66	40.5	11,712	4,415	37.7	10,531	3,739	35.5
16 TO 34 YEARS	161	66	40.8	9,944	3,795	38.2	8,910	3,190	35.8
35 YEARS AND OVER	2	-	(1)	1,768	619	35.0	1,621	549	33.9
BLACK									
TOTAL	2,426	1,128	46.5	6,248	3,248	52.0	3,355	1,903	56.7
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1,904	932	48.8	3,087	1,353	43.8	1,384	691	50.0
16 TO 34 YEARS	1,752	797	45.5	366	269	73.5	247	175	70.7
35 YEARS AND OVER	242	135	55.9	2,721	1,083	39.8	1,137	517	45.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	432	196	45.4	3,161	1,896	60.0	1,971	1,212	61.5
16 TO 34 YEARS	370	168	45.5	1,659	1,021	61.6	1,063	665	62.6
35 YEARS AND OVER	62	28	(1)	1,502	875	58.2	908	546	60.2
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 ONLY, NONE YOUNGER, TOTAL	129	66	50.8	1,718	1,087	63.3	990	647	65.4
16 TO 34 YEARS	83	44	53.0	495	349	70.7	247	184	74.3
35 YEARS AND OVER	46	22	(1)	1,224	737	60.3	743	464	62.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN 14 TO 17 YEARS, NONE YOUNGER	22	15	(1)	448	254	56.6	270	152	56.4
16 TO 34 YEARS	8	6	(1)	19	13	(1)	13	11	(1)
35 YEARS AND OVER	14	9	(1)	429	240	56.0	257	141	54.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 13 YEARS, NONE YOUNGER	107	51	47.6	1,270	833	65.6	720	495	68.7
16 TO 34 YEARS	75	38	50.6	475	336	70.7	234	172	73.6
35 YEARS AND OVER	32	13	(1)	794	497	62.6	486	323	66.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	303	130	43.1	1,443	809	56.1	981	564	57.5
16 TO 34 YEARS	287	124	43.4	1,164	672	57.7	816	482	59.1
35 YEARS AND OVER	16	6	(1)	279	137	49.2	165	83	50.1

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Table D-1. Labor force and marital status of women 16 years old and over, by age and presence and age of own children, race and Hispanic origin, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

AGE OF WOMEN BY PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND RACE	LABOR FORCE AND MARITAL STATUS											
	TOTAL			MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT (EXCEPT SEPARATED)			ALL OTHER EVER-MARRIED WOMEN					
							WIDOWED			DIVORCED		
	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE
WHITE												
TOTAL	14,468	5,760	39.8	2,011	1,185	58.9	8,744	1,901	21.7	3,713	2,674	72.0
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	11,154	3,572	32.0	960	577	60.1	8,237	1,645	20.0	1,957	1,350	69.0
16 TO 34 YEARS	836	679	81.3	375	288	76.8	26	18	(1)	434	374	86.0
35 YEARS AND OVER	10,319	2,893	28.0	585	289	49.4	8,211	1,627	19.8	1,523	977	64.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	3,313	2,188	66.0	1,051	608	57.9	507	257	50.6	1,755	1,323	75.4
16 TO 34 YEARS	1,631	1,062	65.2	637	358	56.2	65	25	(1)	929	679	73.1
35 YEARS AND OVER	1,683	1,125	66.9	413	250	60.4	443	231	52.3	827	644	77.9
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 ONLY, NONE YOUNGER, TOTAL	2,133	1,513	70.9	501	325	64.8	453	239	52.8	1,179	949	80.5
16 TO 34 YEARS	597	457	76.5	149	98	66.0	31	17	(1)	417	342	81.9
35 YEARS AND OVER	1,536	1,056	68.7	352	226	64.3	421	222	52.7	762	607	79.7
WITH OWN CHILDREN 14 TO 17 YEARS, NONE YOUNGER	627	447	71.4	123	81	66.1	226	133	58.7	278	233	84.1
16 TO 34 YEARS	25	23	(1)	4	3	(1)	2	2	(1)	19	18	(1)
35 YEARS AND OVER	602	424	70.5	119	78	65.7	225	131	58.4	258	215	83.2
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 13 YEARS, NONE YOUNGER	1,506	1,065	70.7	378	243	64.4	226	106	46.9	902	716	79.3
16 TO 34 YEARS	573	434	75.8	145	95	65.7	30	16	(1)	398	323	81.2
35 YEARS AND OVER	933	631	67.6	233	148	63.6	196	91	46.1	504	392	77.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1,180	675	57.2	550	283	51.5	55	18	(1)	576	374	65.0
16 TO 34 YEARS	1,033	605	58.6	488	260	53.2	33	8	(1)	512	337	65.9
35 YEARS AND OVER	147	70	47.5	61	23	(1)	22	10	(1)	64	37	(1)
BLACK												
TOTAL	2,894	1,346	46.5	1,081	590	54.6	1,182	324	27.4	631	432	68.5
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1,704	661	38.8	426	234	55.1	989	230	23.2	289	197	68.1
16 TO 34 YEARS	119	94	79.2	75	56	74.5	3	3	(1)	41	36	(1)
35 YEARS AND OVER	1,584	567	35.8	351	179	51.0	985	226	23.0	248	161	65.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	1,190	684	57.5	655	355	54.2	194	94	48.7	342	235	68.8
16 TO 34 YEARS	596	356	59.8	380	214	56.4	30	15	(1)	186	127	68.1
35 YEARS AND OVER	595	328	55.2	275	141	51.2	164	79	48.3	156	108	69.6
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 ONLY, NONE YOUNGER, TOTAL	728	440	60.4	343	196	57.0	155	76	48.8	230	168	73.1
16 TO 34 YEARS	247	166	67.0	127	82	64.8	17	7	(1)	104	77	74.0
35 YEARS AND OVER	481	274	56.9	217	114	52.5	138	69	49.9	126	91	72.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN 14 TO 17 YEARS, NONE YOUNGER	179	102	56.9	65	33	(1)	61	31	(1)	52	38	(1)
16 TO 34 YEARS	6	2	(1)	2	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	4	2	(1)
35 YEARS AND OVER	173	100	57.7	63	33	(1)	61	31	(1)	48	36	(1)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 13 YEARS, NONE YOUNGER	549	338	61.5	278	163	58.5	94	45	47.7	177	130	73.5
16 TO 34 YEARS	241	164	67.8	125	82	65.9	17	7	(1)	100	75	75.0
35 YEARS AND OVER	308	174	56.5	153	81	52.5	77	38	49.4	77	55	71.5
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	462	245	53.0	312	159	51.1	38	19	(1)	112	67	59.8
16 TO 34 YEARS	348	190	54.6	254	132	52.1	13	8	(1)	82	50	60.6
35 YEARS AND OVER	114	55	48.0	58	27	(1)	25	10	(1)	30	17	(1)

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Table D-1. Labor force and marital status of women 16 years old and over, by age and presence and age of own children, race and Hispanic origin, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

AGE OF WOMEN BY PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND RACE	LABOR FORCE AND MARITAL STATUS: NEVER-MARRIED WOMEN			LABOR FORCE AND MARITAL STATUS: ALL EVER-MARRIED WOMEN					
				TOTAL			MARRIED, HUSBAND PRESENT		
	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE
HISPANIC ORIGIN									
TOTAL	764	386	50.5	2,767	1,130	40.8	1,999	832	41.6
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	699	365	52.2	966	369	38.2	580	244	42.1
16 TO 34 YEARS	620	322	52.0	214	139	65.0	176	109	61.6
35 YEARS AND OVER	80	43	53.5	753	230	30.6	404	136	33.7
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	65	21	(1)	1,800	761	42.3	1,419	588	41.4
16 TO 34 YEARS	56	17	(1)	971	394	40.5	775	309	39.9
35 YEARS AND OVER	8	4	(1)	829	367	44.3	644	279	43.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 ONLY, NONE YOUNGER, TOTAL	14	9	(1)	821	410	50.0	616	301	48.8
16 TO 34 YEARS	9	6	(1)	186	110	59.0	133	77	57.8
35 YEARS AND OVER	5	3	(1)	634	300	47.3	483	224	46.3
WITH OWN CHILDRFN 14 TO 17 YEARS, NONE YOUNGER	2	1	(1)	207	108	52.1	157	81	51.7
16 TO 34 YEARS	1	-	(1)	7	5	(1)	4	4	(1)
35 YEARS AND OVER	1	1	(1)	201	103	51.3	153	77	50.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 13 YEARS, NONE YOUNGER	12	8	(1)	613	302	49.3	459	219	47.8
16 TO 34 YEARS	9	6	(1)	179	105	58.4	129	73	56.4
35 YEARS AND OVER	4	2	(1)	434	197	45.5	330	147	44.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	50	12	(1)	980	351	35.8	803	287	35.8
16 TO 34 YEARS	47	11	(1)	785	284	36.2	642	232	36.1
35 YEARS AND OVER	3	1	(1)	194	67	34.5	161	55	34.3

AGE OF WOMEN BY PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND RACE	LABOR FORCE AND MARITAL STATUS: ALL OTHER EVER-MARRIED WOMEN											
	TOTAL			MARRIED, SPOUSE ABSENT			WIDOWED			DIVORCED		
	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	POPULATION	LABOR FORCE	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE
HISPANIC ORIGIN												
TOTAL	767	298	38.8	289	107	37.1	242	47	19.4	236	143	60.7
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	386	124	32.2	93	44	47.1	202	32	15.9	92	49	52.8
16 TO 34 YEARS	38	30	(1)	21	17	(1)	1	-	(1)	16	13	(1)
35 YEARS AND OVER	349	94	27.0	71	27	(1)	201	32	16.0	77	35	46.2
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	381	173	45.5	197	64	32.4	40	15	(1)	144	95	65.7
16 TO 34 YEARS	196	85	43.3	116	34	29.3	8	2	(1)	72	49	(1)
35 YEARS AND OVER	185	88	47.8	81	30	36.8	32	13	(1)	72	46	(1)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 ONLY, NONE YOUNGER, TOTAL	204	109	53.5	83	33	(1)	33	13	(1)	88	63	72.2
16 TO 34 YEARS	53	33	(1)	19	7	(1)	7	2	(1)	28	24	(1)
35 YEARS AND OVER	151	76	50.5	64	25	(1)	27	11	(1)	60	40	(1)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 14 TO 17 YEARS, NONE YOUNGER	50	27	(1)	19	7	(1)	11	5	(1)	21	15	(1)
16 TO 34 YEARS	2	1	(1)	1	-	(1)	-	-	(1)	2	1	(1)
35 YEARS AND OVER	48	26	(1)	18	7	(1)	11	5	(1)	19	14	(1)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 13 YEARS, NONE YOUNGER	154	83	53.6	64	26	(1)	23	8	(1)	67	49	(1)
16 TO 34 YEARS	51	32	(1)	18	7	(1)	7	2	(1)	26	23	(1)
35 YEARS AND OVER	104	51	48.9	47	18	(1)	16	6	(1)	41	26	(1)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	176	64	36.1	113	31	27.2	7	2	(1)	56	31	(1)
16 TO 34 YEARS	143	52	36.3	97	27	27.4	1	-	(1)	45	25	(1)
35 YEARS AND OVER	33	12	(1)	16	4	(1)	6	2	(1)	12	6	(1)

[1] Rate not shown where base is less than 75,000

Table E. Employment and marital status of women 16 years old and over, by presence and age of own children and race, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

MARITAL AND EMPLOYMENT STATUS	PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN								
	TOTAL	NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS, NONE UNDER 6			CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS		
				TOTAL	14 TO 17 YEARS NONE YOUNGER	6 TO 13 YEARS NONE YOUNGER	TOTAL	3 TO 5 YEARS NONE UNDER 3	UNDER 3 YEARS
ALL PERSONS									
EVER-MARRIED WOMEN, TOTAL 16 YEARS AND OVER. . .	65,425	35,509	29,916	16,434	4,802	11,632	13,482	5,990	7,491
IN LABOR FORCE	28,734	14,137	14,598	9,239	2,749	6,490	5,358	2,827	2,531
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	43.9	39.8	48.8	56.2	57.2	55.8	39.7	47.2	33.8
MARRIED, HUSBAND PRESENT	47,852	22,490	25,361	13,543	3,984	9,559	11,819	5,044	6,774
IN LABOR FORCE	21,554	9,860	11,693	7,270	2,194	5,076	4,424	2,227	2,197
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	45.0	43.8	46.1	53.7	55.1	53.1	37.4	44.1	32.4
EMPLOYED	20,023	9,253	10,770	6,842	2,091	4,751	3,928	2,034	1,894
FULL TIME[1]	14,241	7,162	7,079	4,514	1,422	3,092	2,564	1,323	1,241
PART TIME[2]	5,783	2,091	3,692	2,328	669	1,659	1,364	711	652
UNEMPLOYED	1,530	607	923	427	103	324	496	193	303
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.1	6.2	7.9	5.9	4.7	6.4	11.2	8.7	13.8
MARRIED, HUSBAND ABSENT.	3,185	1,410	1,735	862	198	664	873	412	461
IN LABOR FORCE	1,801	821	980	527	119	408	452	248	205
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	57.3	58.2	56.5	61.2	60.2	61.5	51.8	60.1	44.3
EMPLOYED	1,553	742	812	459	106	353	353	200	153
FULL TIME[1]	1,253	598	655	375	89	287	280	154	126
PART TIME[2]	300	144	156	83	17	66	73	46	27
UNEMPLOYED	247	79	168	69	13	55	99	47	52
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	13.7	9.7	17.1	13.1	11.3	13.6	21.9	19.1	29.3
DIVORCED	4,408	2,294	2,114	1,417	331	1,086	697	479	218
IN LABOR FORCE	3,146	1,576	1,571	1,125	272	852	446	329	117
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	71.4	68.7	74.3	79.3	82.2	78.5	64.1	68.7	53.8
EMPLOYED	2,912	1,469	1,443	1,051	263	788	392	296	96
FULL TIME[1]	2,517	1,273	1,244	908	237	671	336	260	76
PART TIME[2]	395	196	199	143	26	116	56	36	20
UNEMPLOYED	235	107	128	74	9	66	54	33	21
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	6.8	8.1	6.6	3.4	7.6	12.1	10.1	17.9
WIDOWED.	10,020	9,315	705	612	289	323	93	55	38
IN LABOR FORCE	2,233	1,880	354	318	164	154	36	23	13
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	22.3	20.2	50.2	51.9	56.6	47.6	39.0	(3)	(3)
EMPLOYED	2,097	1,776	320	289	148	141	31	20	11
FULL TIME[1]	1,421	1,192	229	207	102	104	22	14	8
PART TIME[2]	676	584	92	82	46	36	10	7	3
UNEMPLOYED	137	103	33	29	15	13	5	3	2
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.1	5.5	9.5	9.0	9.4	8.6	(3)	(3)	(3)
NEVER MARRIED.	15,409	14,756	653	184	29	155	470	180	290
IN LABOR FORCE	9,083	8,786	297	99	18	81	198	99	99
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	58.9	59.5	45.4	53.8	(3)	52.4	42.1	55.1	34.1
EMPLOYED	8,024	7,787	237	87	15	72	150	77	73
FULL TIME[1]	5,132	4,947	185	75	9	66	110	52	58
PART TIME[2]	2,892	2,839	52	12	6	6	40	25	15
UNEMPLOYED	1,059	999	59	12	2	9	48	22	26
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	11.7	11.4	20.0	11.7	(3)	11.3	24.1	22.3	25.9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table E. Employment and marital status of women 16 years old and over, by presence and age of own children and race, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

MARITAL AND EMPLOYMENT STATUS	PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN								
	TOTAL	NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS, NONE UNDER 6			CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS		
				TOTAL	14 TO 17 YEARS NONE YOUNGER	6 TO 13 YEARS NONE YOUNGER	TOTAL	3 TO 5 YEARS NONE UNDER 3	UNDER 3 YEARS
WHITE									
EVER-MARRIED WOMEN, TOTAL 16 YEARS AND OVER. . .	58,189	31,983	26,207	14,495	4,296	10,199	11,712	5,170	6,541
IN LABOR FORCE	25,045	12,602	12,444	8,029	2,466	5,563	4,415	2,347	2,067
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	43.0	39.4	47.5	55.4	57.4	54.5	37.7	45.4	31.6
MARRIED, HUSBAND PRESENT	43,722	20,828	22,893	12,362	3,669	8,693	10,531	4,489	6,042
IN LABOR FORCE	19,285	9,030	10,256	6,516	2,019	4,498	3,739	1,906	1,833
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	44.1	43.4	44.8	52.7	55.0	51.7	35.5	42.5	30.3
EMPLOYED	17,958	8,488	9,470	6,143	1,928	4,215	3,326	1,740	1,587
FULL TIME[1]	12,622	6,603	6,019	3,944	1,305	2,639	2,074	1,081	993
PART TIME[2]	5,336	1,884	3,451	2,199	623	1,576	1,252	658	594
UNEMPLOYED	1,328	542	786	373	91	282	413	167	246
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.9	6.0	7.7	5.7	4.5	6.3	11.0	8.7	13.4
MARRIED, HUSBAND ABSENT.	2,011	960	1,051	501	123	378	550	248	301
IN LABOR FORCE	1,185	577	608	325	81	243	283	149	134
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	58.9	60.1	57.9	64.8	66.1	64.4	51.5	59.9	44.6
EMPLOYED	1,024	511	513	281	71	210	232	126	106
FULL TIME[1]	825	412	413	230	63	168	183	94	89
PART TIME[2]	198	98	100	51	8	43	49	32	17
UNEMPLOYED	161	66	95	44	11	33	51	23	28
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	13.6	11.5	15.6	13.4	13.2	13.5	18.1	15.4	21.0
DIVORCED	3,713	1,957	1,755	1,179	278	902	576	402	174
IN LABOR FORCE	2,674	1,350	1,323	949	233	716	374	281	94
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	72.0	69.0	75.4	80.5	84.1	79.3	65.0	69.8	53.9
EMPLOYED	2,474	1,258	1,217	885	229	661	332	256	76
FULL TIME[1]	2,148	1,100	1,048	766	201	565	281	225	57
PART TIME[2]	326	157	169	119	33	95	51	32	19
UNEMPLOYED	199	93	106	64	9	55	42	24	18
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	6.9	8.0	6.8	4.0	7.7	11.3	8.6	19.4
WIDOWED.	8,744	8,237	507	453	226	226	55	31	24
IN LABOR FORCE	1,901	1,645	257	239	133	106	18	11	6
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	21.7	20.0	50.6	52.8	58.7	46.9	(3)	(3)	(3)
EMPLOYED	1,800	1,563	238	222	123	99	16	10	6
FULL TIME[1]	1,247	1,071	176	166	90	76	10	7	3
PART TIME[2]	553	491	62	56	33	23	6	3	3
UNEMPLOYED	101	82	19	17	10	8	2	2	-
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.3	5.0	7.4	7.3	7.4	7.2	(3)	(3)	(3)
NEVER MARRIED.	12,669	12,483	216	53	7	46	162	60	102
IN LABOR FORCE	7,784	7,685	99	33	3	30	66	31	35
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	61.2	61.5	45.8	(3)	(3)	(3)	40.5	(3)	33.8
EMPLOYED	6,966	6,882	84	29	2	27	54	26	28
FULL TIME[1]	4,360	4,296	64	28	2	25	37	13	24
PART TIME[2]	2,606	2,586	19	2	-	2	18	14	4
UNEMPLOYED	788	773	15	4	1	3	11	5	6
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.2	10.1	15.3	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table E. Employment and marital status of women 16 years old and over, by presence and age of own children and race, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

MARITAL AND EMPLOYMENT STATUS	PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN								
	TOTAL	NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS, NONE UNDER 6			CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS		
				TOTAL	14 TO 17 YEARS NONE YOUNGER	6 TO 13 YEARS NONE YOUNGER	TOTAL	3 TO 5 YEARS NONE UNDER 3	UNDER 3 YEARS
BLACK									
EVER-MARRIED WOMEN, TOTAL 16 YEARS AND OVER. . .	6,248	3,087	3,161	1,718	448	1,270	1,443	684	758
IN LABOR FORCE	3,248	1,353	1,896	1,087	254	833	809	418	391
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	52.0	43.8	60.0	63.3	56.6	65.6	56.1	61.0	51.6
MARRIED, HUSBAND PRESENT	3,355	1,384	1,971	990	270	720	981	437	544
IN LABOR FORCE	1,903	691	1,212	647	152	495	564	270	295
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	56.7	50.0	61.5	65.4	56.4	68.7	57.5	61.7	54.2
EMPLOYED	1,726	635	1,091	601	143	458	490	247	243
FULL TIME[1]	1,346	452	894	491	100	391	403	202	201
PART TIME[2]	380	183	197	110	42	67	87	45	42
UNEMPLOYED	177	56	121	46	9	37	75	23	52
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.3	8.1	10.0	7.1	6.1	7.4	13.2	8.6	17.5
MARRIED, HUSBAND ABSENT.	1,081	426	655	343	65	278	312	155	157
IN LABOR FORCE	590	234	355	196	31	163	159	93	67
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	54.6	55.1	54.2	57.0	(3)	58.5	51.1	59.7	42.6
EMPLOYED	512	221	290	173	32	141	117	73	45
FULL TIME[1]	411	176	236	142	23	119	94	59	35
PART TIME[2]	100	46	55	31	9	22	23	14	10
UNEMPLOYED	78	13	65	23	1	22	42	20	22
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	13.2	5.6	18.2	11.7	(3)	13.4	26.3	21.8	(3)
DIVORCED	631	289	342	230	52	177	112	68	44
IN LABOR FORCE	432	197	235	168	38	130	67	43	23
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	68.5	68.1	68.8	73.1	(3)	73.5	59.8	(3)	(3)
EMPLOYED	402	188	214	159	38	121	55	34	21
FULL TIME[1]	342	157	185	136	35	101	49	30	19
PART TIME[2]	60	31	29	23	3	20	6	4	2
UNEMPLOYED	30	9	21	10	-	10	12	9	3
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	4.4	9.1	5.7	(3)	7.3	(3)	(3)	(3)
WIDOWED.	1,182	989	194	155	61	94	38	24	14
IN LABOR FORCE	324	230	94	76	31	45	19	12	7
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	27.4	23.2	48.7	48.8	(3)	47.7	(3)	(3)	(3)
EMPLOYED	288	208	80	65	25	39	15	10	5
FULL TIME[1]	165	115	50	38	12	26	12	7	5
PART TIME[2]	123	93	30	26	13	13	3	3	-
UNEMPLOYED	36	21	14	11	6	6	3	1	2
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	11.1	9.3	15.3	14.8	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
NEVER MARRIED.	2,426	1,994	432	129	22	107	303	118	184
IN LABOR FORCE	1,128	932	196	66	15	51	130	68	63
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE.	46.5	46.8	45.4	50.8	(3)	47.6	43.1	57.4	33.9
EMPLOYED	876	723	154	58	13	45	96	51	45
FULL TIME[1]	656	535	121	47	7	40	73	39	34
PART TIME[2]	220	187	33	11	6	5	23	12	11
UNEMPLOYED	252	210	42	8	2	6	35	17	17
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	22.3	22.5	21.6	(3)	(3)	(3)	26.8	(3)	(3)

[1] Full time workers are persons who during the survey week worked 35 hours or more and those who usually work full time but worked 1 to 34 hours.

[2] Part time workers are persons who usually work 1 to 34 hours and worked 1 to 34 hours during the survey week. Persons with a job but not at work are classified by whether they usually work full or part time.

[3] Rate not shown where base is less than 75,000.

Table F. Labor force status of married women, husband present 16 years old and over, by income of husband, in 1975, age of wife, and presence and age of own children, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

AGE OF WIFE, AND PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN	TOTAL	INCOME OF HUSBAND											
		UNDER $3,000	$3,000 TO $4,999	$5,000 TO $6,999	$7,000 TO $9,999	$10,000 TO $12,999	$13,000 TO $14,999	$15,000 TO $19,999	$20,000 TO $24,999	$25,000 TO $34,999	$35,000 TO $49,999	$50,000 AND OVER	MEDIAN INCOME (DOLS.)
WIFE IN LABOR FORCE													
TOTAL, 16 YEARS AND OVER	21,554	1,464	1,676	1,999	3,876	4,269	2,215	3,535	1,376	810	222	112	11,250
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	9,860	869	1,005	1,005	1,841	1,827	900	1,413	582	314	90	56	10,336
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	3,433	262	350	417	820	698	382	412	114	40	11	6	9,505
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	293	46	58	62	87	30	7	3	-	-	-	-	6,065
20 TO 24 YEARS	1,577	138	194	236	438	311	121	107	20	8	3	2	8,449
25 TO 34 YEARS	1,563	78	98	119	296	358	174	302	94	32	8	5	11,638
35 YEARS AND OVER	6,427	607	654	588	1,020	1,129	598	1,002	468	274	78	50	10,927
45 YEARS AND OVER	5,558	466	609	509	885	951	485	833	373	231	70	47	10,653
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	11,693	595	671	994	2,036	2,442	1,316	2,122	834	496	132	55	11,976
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	5,482	263	361	574	1,207	1,253	632	813	241	106	21	11	10,800
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	125	14	31	34	27	9	1	3	3	2	-	-	5,745
20 TO 24 YEARS	1,007	63	105	150	307	223	83	59	11	5	1	-	8,654
25 TO 34 YEARS	4,350	186	224	390	872	1,021	548	751	227	100	19	11	11,494
35 YEARS AND OVER	6,212	333	311	420	829	1,189	683	1,309	593	390	112	44	13,071
45 YEARS AND OVER	2,060	149	126	140	270	380	207	442	164	124	38	20	12,756
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY, NONE YOUNGER, TOTAL	7,270	358	351	528	1,057	1,444	829	1,495	653	401	106	48	12,817
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	1,715	68	83	164	319	382	219	320	103	45	4	8	11,876
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	13	-	-	2	1	2	1	3	3	2	-	-	(2)
20 TO 24 YEARS	45	2	5	8	11	8	10	2	-	-	-	-	(2)
25 TO 34 YEARS	1,656	66	78	154	307	373	208	315	100	44	4	8	11,893
35 YEARS AND OVER	5,555	290	268	364	738	1,062	610	1,175	550	356	102	40	13,185
45 YEARS AND OVER	2,012	145	123	138	263	368	201	432	164	119	38	20	12,777
WITH OWN CHILDREN 14 TO 17, NONE YOUNGER	2,194	119	101	142	327	410	220	479	208	142	36	9	12,983
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	86	4	2	7	22	27	10	13	2	-	-	-	11,439
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	(2)
20 TO 24 YEARS	7	-	-	-	2	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	(2)
25 TO 34 YEARS	77	4	2	7	21	27	5	11	2	-	-	-	11,057
35 YEARS AND OVER	2,108	116	100	135	305	383	210	466	207	142	36	9	13,149
45 YEARS AND OVER	1,134	74	64	72	161	202	118	231	103	76	24	8	12,904
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 13, NONE YOUNGER	5,076	238	250	386	730	1,033	609	1,017	445	260	70	38	12,748
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	1,629	64	82	157	297	395	209	307	102	45	4	8	11,897
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	12	-	-	2	1	2	1	2	3	2	-	-	(2)
20 TO 24 YEARS	39	2	5	8	9	8	5	2	-	-	-	-	(2)
25 TO 34 YEARS	1,578	63	76	147	287	386	202	304	98	44	4	8	11,938
35 YEARS AND OVER	3,447	174	168	229	434	638	400	710	343	214	66	31	13,204
45 YEARS AND OVER	878	71	58	66	102	166	83	201	61	44	14	12	12,648
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	4,424	238	320	466	978	999	487	627	180	95	26	7	10,612
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	3,767	195	278	410	887	871	414	493	138	61	17	3	10,377
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	111	14	31	32	26	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,487
20 TO 24 YEARS	962	61	100	142	296	215	73	57	11	5	1	-	8,648
25 TO 34 YEARS	2,695	120	146	236	565	649	340	436	127	56	15	3	11,280
35 YEARS AND OVER	656	43	43	56	91	127	73	133	42	34	10	4	12,346
45 YEARS AND OVER	48	4	4	1	7	12	6	10	-	4	-	-	(2)

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(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

AGE OF WIFE, AND PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN	TOTAL	INCOME OF HUSBAND											
		UNDER $3,000	$3,000 TO $4,999	$5,000 TO $6,999	$7,000 TO $9,999	$10,000 TO $12,999	$13,000 TO $14,999	$15,000 TO $19,999	$20,000 TO $24,999	$25,000 TO $34,999	$35,000 TO $49,999	$50,000 AND OVER	MEDIAN INCOME (DOLS.)
WIFE NOT IN LABOR FORCE													
TOTAL, 16 YEARS AND OVER	26,298	2,122	2,750	2,696	3,812	4,106	2,142	4,138	2,018	1,357	570	437	11,225
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	12,630	1,545	2,040	1,792	1,917	1,821	745	1,351	744	492	217	166	8,342
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	1,099	101	109	172	250	203	50	122	49	24	14	7	8,948
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	234	34	44	53	50	33	8	8	4	-	-	-	6,527
20 TO 24 YEARS	434	52	38	75	119	77	23	30	12	5	3	-	8,261
25 TO 34 YEARS	431	15	27	44	80	92	20	84	33	19	10	7	11,615
35 YEARS AND OVER	11,531	1,444	1,932	1,620	1,667	1,619	695	1,229	695	468	203	160	8,246
45 YEARS AND OVER	11,056	1,414	1,895	1,576	1,613	1,527	658	1,134	644	448	195	153	8,067
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	13,668	578	709	1,055	1,894	2,485	1,397	2,787	1,275	865	353	271	13,161
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	7,677	268	426	666	1,239	1,517	790	1,494	590	307	111	69	12,313
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	280	45	63	71	60	28	8	5	-	-	-	-	5,948
20 TO 24 YEARS	1,657	98	179	236	423	367	147	165	30	10	5	2	9,194
25 TO 34 YEARS	5,540	124	188	359	756	1,122	635	1,325	559	298	107	68	13,695
35 YEARS AND OVER	6,191	310	284	389	656	968	607	1,293	685	558	242	202	14,615
45 YEARS AND OVER	2,443	148	160	160	234	414	220	464	229	228	96	90	13,963
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY, NONE YOUNGER, TOTAL	6,273	275	295	378	699	1,022	640	1,359	663	535	217	190	14,462
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	1,270	37	50	82	183	245	151	311	111	58	26	17	13,511
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	9	3	-	4	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2)
20 TO 24 YEARS	30	2	3	7	5	9	3	2	-	-	-	-	(2)
25 TO 34 YEARS	1,231	31	46	72	178	234	148	310	111	58	26	17	13,726
35 YEARS AND OVER	5,003	238	246	296	516	777	489	1,048	552	477	191	174	14,759
45 YEARS AND OVER	2,341	135	153	149	228	394	207	449	219	225	91	90	14,073
WITH OWN CHILDREN 14 TO 17, NONE YOUNGER	1,790	91	96	105	170	285	169	412	189	159	67	47	14,755
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	30	3	2	2	2	5	1	12	5	-	-	-	(2)
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2)
20 TO 24 YEARS	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	(2)
25 TO 34 YEARS	27	2	2	2	2	5	1	10	5	-	-	-	(2)
35 YEARS AND OVER	1,760	88	95	103	168	280	168	400	185	159	67	47	14,737
45 YEARS AND OVER	1,156	65	70	78	108	197	95	249	110	105	44	35	14,267
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 13, NONE YOUNGER	4,483	184	199	274	529	737	470	947	473	376	150	143	14,356
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	1,240	34	48	81	181	240	149	300	106	58	26	17	13,479
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	7	2	-	4	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2)
20 TO 24 YEARS	29	2	3	7	5	9	3	-	-	-	-	-	(2)
25 TO 34 YEARS	1,204	30	45	70	177	229	147	300	106	58	26	17	13,698
35 YEARS AND OVER	3,243	150	151	193	348	497	321	648	367	318	124	126	14,764
45 YEARS AND OVER	1,185	70	83	72	120	197	113	200	109	120	47	55	13,910
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	7,395	303	416	676	1,196	1,463	757	1,428	612	330	136	80	12,307
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	6,407	231	376	584	1,056	1,272	639	1,183	479	249	85	53	12,081
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	271	42	63	67	60	26	8	5	-	-	-	-	5,965
20 TO 24 YEARS	1,627	96	171	229	419	358	144	163	30	10	5	2	9,179
25 TO 34 YEARS	4,509	93	142	288	577	888	487	1,015	448	240	81	51	13,686
35 YEARS AND OVER	1,188	72	38	93	140	191	118	245	133	81	50	28	14,035
45 YEARS AND OVER	103	13	7	11	6	20	13	15	10	3	5	-	11,998

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(PERCENT DISTRIBUTION)

AGE OF WIFE, AND PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN	TOTAL	INCOME OF HUSBAND										
		UNDER $3,000	$3,000 TO $4,999	$5,000 TO $6,999	$7,000 TO $9,999	$10,000 TO $12,999	$13,000 TO $14,999	$15,000 TO $19,999	$20,000 TO $24,999	$25,000 TO $34,999	$35,000 TO $49,999	$50,000 AND OVER
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE												
TOTAL, 16 YEARS AND OVER	45.0	40.8	37.9	41.3	50.4	51.0	50.8	46.1	40.5	37.4	28.0	20.3
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	43.8	36.0	33.0	35.9	49.0	53.0	54.7	51.1	42.2	39.0	29.2	25.3
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	75.7	72.2	76.3	70.8	76.7	77.5	85.7	77.1	70.1	(2)	(2)	(2)
16 TO 19 YEARS	55.6	57.7	57.0	54.1	63.4	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
20 TO 24 YEARS	78.4	72.8	83.7	75.9	78.6	80.0	84.0	78.0	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
25 TO 34 YEARS	78.4	83.5	78.3	72.8	78.6	79.5	89.9	78.3	74.3	(2)	(2)	(2)
35 YEARS AND OVER	35.8	29.6	25.3	26.6	38.0	46.3	46.3	44.9	38.1	36.9	27.8	23.8
45 YEARS AND OVER	33.5	28.6	24.3	24.4	35.4	41.8	42.6	42.3	36.7	34.0	26.4	23.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	46.1	50.8	48.6	48.5	51.8	49.6	48.5	43.2	39.5	36.4	27.2	16.9
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	42.3	49.5	45.9	46.3	49.3	45.2	44.5	35.3	29.0	25.7	15.6	13.6
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	30.9	(2)	33.1	32.4	31.1	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
20 TO 24 YEARS	37.8	38.9	37.6	38.8	42.0	37.8	36.2	26.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
25 TO 34 YEARS	44.0	59.9	54.4	52.1	53.6	47.6	46.3	36.2	28.9	25.1	15.2	13.9
35 YEARS AND OVER	50.1	51.8	52.3	51.9	55.8	55.1	53.0	50.3	46.4	41.1	31.6	18.0
45 YEARS AND OVER	45.7	50.1	44.1	46.6	53.6	47.8	48.5	48.8	41.8	35.2	28.4	18.2
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY, NONE YOUNGER, TOTAL	53.7	56.5	54.3	58.3	60.2	58.6	56.4	52.4	49.6	42.9	32.7	20.1
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	57.6	64.8	62.6	66.6	63.6	60.9	59.2	50.7	48.1	44.0	(2)	(2)
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
20 TO 24 YEARS	59.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
25 TO 34 YEARS	57.4	67.7	62.7	68.3	63.3	61.4	58.3	50.4	47.3	43.1	(2)	(2)
35 YEARS AND OVER	52.6	54.9	52.2	55.2	58.9	57.8	55.5	52.9	49.9	42.7	34.8	18.7
45 YEARS AND OVER	46.2	51.8	44.5	48.1	53.6	48.3	49.2	49.0	42.9	34.7	29.4	18.2
WITH OWN CHILDREN 14 TO 17, NONE YOUNGER	58.1	56.7	51.2	57.6	65.8	59.0	56.6	53.8	52.4	47.1	36.9	(2)
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	74.0	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
20 TO 24 YEARS	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
25 TO 34 YEARS	79.1	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
35 YEARS AND OVER	54.5	56.8	51.2	56.7	64.4	57.8	55.6	53.8	52.8	47.1	36.9	(2)
45 YEARS AND OVER	49.5	53.4	48.0	48.2	59.8	50.6	55.5	48.1	48.5	41.9	(2)	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 13, NONE YOUNGER	53.1	56.4	55.7	58.5	58.0	58.4	56.4	51.8	48.5	40.9	31.7	21.2
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	54.8	65.6	62.9	66.0	62.1	59.6	58.3	50.6	48.8	44.0	(2)	(2)
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
20 TO 24 YEARS	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
25 TO 34 YEARS	56.7	67.7	63.0	67.8	61.9	60.1	58.0	50.3	48.0	43.1	(2)	(2)
35 YEARS AND OVER	51.5	53.6	52.7	54.3	55.5	57.7	55.5	52.3	48.4	40.3	34.7	19.6
45 YEARS AND OVER	42.6	50.3	41.1	47.9	46.0	45.8	42.4	50.2	35.8	26.8	(2)	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	37.4	44.0	43.6	40.8	45.0	40.6	39.1	30.5	22.8	22.3	16.3	8.4
16 TO 34 YEARS, TOTAL[1]	37.8	45.7	42.5	41.3	45.7	40.7	39.3	29.4	22.4	19.7	16.4	(2)
16 TO 19 YEARS[1]	39.1	(2)	33.1	32.5	30.5	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
20 TO 24 YEARS	37.2	38.8	36.8	38.2	41.4	37.6	33.7	25.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
25 TO 34 YEARS	38.5	56.3	50.8	45.1	49.5	42.2	41.1	30.1	22.1	18.9	16.0	(2)
35 YEARS AND OVER	35.6	37.6	53.0	37.7	39.4	40.0	38.2	35.2	24.1	29.4	(2)	(2)
45 YEARS AND OVER	31.9	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)

[1] May include wives 14 and 15 years old.

[2] Median not shown where base is less than 75,000.

Table G. Labor force status of married women, husband present 16 years old and over, by years of school completed, presence and age of own children and income of husband in 1975, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND HUSBAND'S INCOME	WIFE IN LABOR FORCE — YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED						
	TOTAL	0 TO 11 YEARS	12 YEARS	13 TO 15 YEARS	16 YEARS	MORE THAN 16 YEARS	MEDIAN YEARS
ALL INCOME CLASSES							
TOTAL, 16 YEARS AND OVER	21,554	4,821	10,344	3,241	2,092	1,055	12.6
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	9,860	2,296	4,475	1,512	1,062	516	12.6
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	3,433	226	1,521	768	671	247	13.0
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	869	234	421	121	41	52	12.5
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	5,558	1,836	2,533	622	350	217	12.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	11,693	2,525	5,870	1,729	1,030	540	12.6
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	7,270	1,638	3,749	1,005	569	309	12.5
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	4,424	886	2,121	725	461	230	12.6
INCOME OF HUSBAND							
UNDER $3,000	1,464	579	553	186	90	55	12.3
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	869	346	319	107	61	36	12.3
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	262	40	99	56	44	23	12.9
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	40	20	11	6	3	-	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	566	286	208	45	14	13	11.9
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	595	233	234	79	30	20	12.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	358	134	155	44	15	11	12.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	238	100	80	35	15	9	12.2
$3,000 TO $4,999	1,676	664	652	210	110	40	12.3
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1,005	356	396	143	81	29	12.4
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	350	39	153	83	61	14	12.9
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	45	17	17	5	3	3	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	609	300	225	56	17	11	12.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	671	308	256	67	28	11	12.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	351	171	123	34	15	8	12.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	320	138	133	34	13	3	12.2
$5,000 TO $6,999	1,999	707	908	208	135	41	12.3
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1,005	328	442	119	88	27	12.4
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	417	45	218	80	63	10	12.7
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	79	38	31	7	3	-	12.0
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	509	245	193	32	22	17	12.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	994	379	466	89	47	14	12.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	528	232	220	44	28	3	12.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	466	146	246	45	19	11	12.4
$7,000 TO $9,999	3,876	1,028	1,966	514	256	112	12.5
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1,841	448	899	289	139	64	12.5
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	820	52	436	193	104	35	12.8
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	135	46	67	13	3	7	12.3
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	885	350	397	83	32	23	12.2
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	2,036	580	1,067	224	117	48	12.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	1,057	347	570	80	45	16	12.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	978	234	497	144	72	32	12.5
$10,000 TO $12,999	4,269	916	2,187	592	427	148	12.6
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1,827	391	880	260	210	85	12.6
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	648	27	321	159	147	43	13.0
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	177	53	89	20	6	10	12.4
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	951	311	470	82	57	32	12.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	2,442	525	1,307	331	217	63	12.5
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	1,444	357	795	178	80	32	12.5
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	999	167	512	153	136	30	12.6
$13,000 TO $14,999	2,215	326	1,191	395	191	112	12.7
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	900	156	423	169	94	57	12.7
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	302	8	109	87	63	33	14.1
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	114	21	66	13	5	9	12.5
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	485	126	248	69	26	15	12.5
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	1,316	170	769	225	97	55	12.6
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	829	122	512	124	43	28	12.6
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	487	48	256	101	54	27	12.8
$15,000 TO $19,999	3,535	439	1,794	611	434	257	12.7
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1,413	184	660	231	220	118	12.8
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	412	10	130	71	134	67	15.8
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	169	22	83	37	12	15	12.8
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	833	153	448	123	74	35	12.6
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	2,122	255	1,134	380	214	139	12.7
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	1,495	211	827	252	124	82	12.6
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	627	44	307	128	90	57	12.9

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Table G. Labor force status of married women, husband present 16 years old and over, by years of school completed, presence and age of own children and income of husband in 1975, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND HUSBAND'S INCOME	WIFE IN LABOR FORCE						
		YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED					
	TOTAL	0 TO 11 YEARS	12 YEARS	13 TO 15 YEARS	16 YEARS	MORE THAN 16 YEARS	MEDIAN YEARS
INCOME OF HUSBAND—Continued							
$20,000 TO $24,999	1,376	115	640	288	207	126	12.9
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	542	61	246	112	82	41	12.9
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	114	3	33	28	33	16	15.2
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	55	10	29	6	6	3	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	373	49	184	77	43	22	12.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	834	54	394	176	125	85	12.9
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	653	49	340	120	95	49	12.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	180	4	54	56	31	36	14.7
$25,000 TO $34,999	810	37	331	168	160	114	13.7
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	314	24	147	51	55	36	12.9
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	40	1	11	6	19	2	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	43	6	20	12	2	3	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	231	16	116	33	35	31	12.9
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	496	13	184	116	105	78	14.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	401	9	154	97	78	62	14.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	95	4	30	19	27	16	15.2
$35,000 TO $49,999	222	6	80	49	57	29	14.5
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	90	2	41	15	19	13	13.4
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	11	-	8	3	-	-	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	8	-	5	2	-	2	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	70	2	28	10	19	11	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	132	5	38	34	39	16	15.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	106	3	35	23	35	10	14.9
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	26	1	3	11	4	6	(2)
$50,000 AND OVER	112	3	42	20	24	22	14.5
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	56	-	20	13	13	10	(2)
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	6		2	2	2	2	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	3	-	3	-	-	-	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	47	-	16	11	12	8	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	55	3	22	7	11	12	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	48	3	18	7	11	8	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	7	-	3	-	-	4	(2)
MEDIAN INCOME (DOLLARS)	11,250	8,313	11,541	12,560	13,290	15,386	(2)
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	10,338	7,705	10,612	11,060	12,260	13,598	(2)
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	9,505	6,436	8,916	9,521	11,179	12,865	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	12,449	9,685	12,907	14,496	(2)	(2)	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	10,653	7,703	11,581	13,384	15,443	14,768	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	11,976	8,767	12,178	13,657	14,566	17,160	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	12,817	9,479	13,047	14,964	17,327	18,440	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	10,612	7,718	10,609	12,138	12,269	15,319	(2)

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Table G. Labor force status of married women, husband present 16 years old and over, by years of school completed, presence and age of own children and income of husband in 1975, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND HUSBAND'S INCOME	WIFE NOT IN LABOR FORCE						
		YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED					
	TOTAL	0 TO 11 YEARS	12 YEARS	13 TO 15 YEARS	16 YEARS	MORE THAN 16 YEARS	MEDIAN YEARS
ALL INCOME CLASSES							
TOTAL, 16 YEARS AND OVER	26,298	9,730	11,325	3,190	1,575	479	12.3
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	12,630	5,876	4,666	1,314	568	206	12.1
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	1,099	297	477	209	88	28	12.5
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	475	186	225	51	12	2	12.2
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	11,056	5,393	3,964	1,054	467	177	12.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	13,668	3,854	6,658	1,876	1,007	272	12.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	6,273	2,043	3,025	767	346	92	12.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	7,395	1,811	3,633	1,109	662	180	12.5
INCOME OF HUSBAND							
UNDER $3,000	2,122	1,435	514	120	42	10	9.4
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1,545	1,085	335	90	24	10	8.9
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	101	43	39	16	3	-	12.2
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	30	20	9	-	-	-	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	1,414	1,022	287	74	21	10	8.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	578	350	180	30	19	-	10.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	275	179	77	9	10	-	10.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	303	171	103	20	8	-	11.3
$3,000 TO $4,999	2,750	1,796	727	153	51	22	10.1
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	2,040	1,378	493	108	45	16	9.6
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	109	46	40	12	8	3	12.2
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	37	21	11	3	1	-	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	1,895	1,311	442	94	36	13	9.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	709	418	234	44	6	6	11.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	295	185	87	17	4	3	10.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	414	233	148	28	3	3	11.5
$5,000 TO $6,999	2,846	1,583	939	229	78	17	11.3
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1,792	1,051	526	148	53	14	10.9
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	172	62	79	23	6	2	12.3
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	43	32	11	-	-	-	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	1,576	958	435	125	47	12	10.6
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	1,055	532	413	81	25	3	12.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	378	234	117	22	5	-	10.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	676	298	296	59	20	3	12.1
$7,000 TO $9,999	3,812	1,599	1,658	397	125	33	12.2
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1,917	863	766	202	62	24	12.1
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	250	84	115	41	10	-	12.4
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	55	29	20	4	2	-	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	1,613	749	632	158	50	24	12.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	1,894	736	892	195	63	9	12.2
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	699	339	303	36	20	-	12.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1,196	397	589	159	42	9	12.3
$10,000 TO $12,999	4,106	1,387	2,001	461	190	67	12.3
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1,621	643	693	181	61	44	12.2
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	203	38	102	43	10	10	12.6
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	92	40	44	8	-	-	12.1
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	1,327	565	547	130	51	34	12.2
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	2,485	744	1,309	280	129	24	12.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	1,022	430	478	85	24	5	12.2
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1,463	314	830	195	105	19	12.5
$13,000 TO $14,999	2,142	609	1,137	247	110	39	12.4
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	745	267	348	76	32	22	12.3
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	50	11	16	13	7	3	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	37	19	15	3	-	-	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	658	237	317	60	26	19	12.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	1,397	343	789	171	78	17	12.5
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	640	192	363	84	18	2	12.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	757	150	425	106	60	15	12.5
$15,000 TO $19,999	4,138	853	2,309	569	309	97	12.5
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	1,351	366	701	179	80	26	12.4
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	122	8	50	29	30	5	13.3
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	95	17	62	15	2	-	12.5
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	1,134	341	589	135	48	21	12.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	2,787	487	1,609	390	229	72	12.6
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	1,359	305	823	153	59	18	12.5
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	1,428	182	786	237	170	54	12.7

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Table G. Labor force status of married women, husband present 16 years old and over, by years of school completed, presence and age of own children and income of husband in 1975, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND HUSBAND'S INCOME	WIFE NOT IN LABOR FORCE						
		YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED					
	TOTAL	0 TO 11 YEARS	12 YEARS	13 TO 15 YEARS	16 YEARS	MORE THAN 16 YEARS	MEDIAN YEARS
INCOME OF HUSBAND							
$20,000 TO $24,999	2,018	283	1,052	387	240	55	12.7
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	744	132	408	118	70	15	12.6
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	49	3	22	16	4	3	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	51	5	35	8	3	-	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	644	124	350	94	63	12	12.6
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	1,275	151	645	269	170	41	12.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	663	105	364	130	52	12	12.6
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	612	46	281	139	118	29	12.9
$25,000 TO $34,999	1,357	115	610	355	210	66	12.9
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	492	54	242	99	74	22	12.8
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	24	2	8	7	5	2	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	20	3	10	7	1	-	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	448	50	224	86	68	20	12.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	865	61	368	256	136	44	13.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	535	48	252	145	69	20	12.9
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	330	13	116	111	67	24	14.0
$35,000 TO $49,999	570	47	241	140	110	32	13.0
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	217	24	101	54	31	7	12.8
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	14	-	5	3	5	-	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	8	-	3	2	2	2	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	195	24	93	49	24	6	12.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	353	22	140	86	79	25	13.5
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	217	19	92	59	33	15	13.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	136	4	48	27	46	10	14.8
$50,000 AND OVER	437	21	136	131	110	39	14.4
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	166	13	54	57	36	6	13.8
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	7	-	2	5	-	-	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	7	-	3	2	2	-	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	153	13	49	51	34	6	13.9
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	271	9	81	74	74	33	14.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	190	6	69	46	51	19	14.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	80	3	12	28	23	15	15.7
MEDIAN INCOME (DOLLARS)	11,225	7,086	12,759	14,905	18,100	17,601	(2)
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	8,342	5,773	11,002	11,702	15,423	12,652	(2)
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	8,948	6,927	9,116	10,784	15,002	(2)	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	12,498	8,684	15,099	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	8,067	5,646	11,094	11,727	15,377	12,394	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	13,161	9,551	13,765	16,759	19,029	20,750	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	14,462	10,616	15,532	19,896	23,093	28,443	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	12,307	8,460	12,464	14,761	17,731	18,808	(2)

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Table. G. Labor force status of married women, husband present 16 years old and over, by years of school completed, presence and age of own children and income of husband in 1975, March 1976—Continued

PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND HUSBAND'S INCOME	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE					
		YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY WIFE				
	TOTAL	0 TO 11 YEARS	12 YEARS	13 TO 15 YEARS	16 YEARS	MORE THAN 16 YEARS
ALL INCOME CLASSES						
TOTAL, 16 YEARS AND OVER	45.0	33.1	47.7	50.4	57.0	68.8
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	43.8	28.1	49.0	53.5	65.2	71.4
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	75.7	43.2	76.1	78.6	88.4	89.9
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	64.7	55.7	65.2	70.5	[2]	[2]
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	33.5	25.4	39.0	37.1	42.8	55.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	46.1	39.6	46.9	48.0	50.6	66.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	53.7	44.5	55.3	56.7	62.2	77.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	37.4	32.9	36.9	39.5	41.1	56.1
INCOME OF HUSBAND						
UNDER $3,000	40.8	28.7	51.8	60.8	68.0	[2]
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	36.0	24.2	48.8	54.4	71.7	[2]
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	72.2	48.4	72.1	[2]	[2]	[2]
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	[2]	[2]	[2]	[2]	[2]	[2]
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	28.6	21.8	42.1	38.0	[2]	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	50.8	40.0	56.6	72.7	[2]	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	56.5	42.7	66.9	[2]	[2]	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	44.0	36.8	43.6	[2]	[2]	[2]
$3,000 TO $4,999	37.9	27.0	47.3	57.9	68.1	[2]
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	33.0	20.5	44.5	56.9	64.2	[2]
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	76.3	45.9	79.3	87.6	[2]	[2]
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	55.2	[2]	[2]	[2]	[2]	[2]
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	24.3	18.6	33.8	37.4	[2]	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	48.6	42.4	52.2	60.2	[2]	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	54.3	48.0	58.7	[2]	[2]	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	43.6	37.1	47.4	[2]	[2]	[2]
$5,000 TO $6,999	41.3	30.9	49.2	47.6	63.4	[2]
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	35.9	23.8	45.7	44.6	62.6	[2]
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	70.8	42.4	73.4	77.4	[2]	[2]
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	64.6	[2]	[2]	[2]	[2]	[2]
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	24.8	20.4	30.7	20.4	[2]	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	48.5	41.6	53.0	52.4	[2]	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	58.3	49.8	65.2	[2]	[2]	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	40.8	32.9	45.4	43.0	[2]	[2]
$7,000 TO $9,999	50.4	39.1	54.2	56.4	67.3	77.4
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	49.0	34.2	54.0	58.9	69.3	72.7
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	76.7	38.3	79.2	82.6	91.3	[2]
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	71.2	61.3	76.9	[2]	[2]	[2]
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	35.4	31.8	38.6	34.6	39.4	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	51.8	44.1	54.5	53.5	65.0	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	60.2	50.5	65.3	68.8	[2]	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	45.0	37.1	45.7	47.6	63.0	[2]
$10,000 TO $12,999	51.0	39.8	52.2	56.2	69.2	68.7
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	53.0	37.8	56.0	59.1	77.4	66.1
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	77.5	[2]	76.0	78.7	93.5	[2]
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	65.9	57.0	66.9	[2]	[2]	[2]
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	41.8	35.5	46.2	38.6	52.6	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	49.6	41.3	50.0	54.2	62.7	72.7
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	58.6	45.4	62.4	67.7	77.1	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	40.6	34.7	38.1	44.0	56.5	[2]
$13,000 TO $14,999	50.8	34.8	51.2	61.5	63.5	74.3
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	54.7	36.9	54.8	69.0	74.5	72.4
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	85.7	[2]	86.9	86.9	[2]	[2]
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	75.4	[2]	81.6	[2]	[2]	[2]
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	42.4	34.8	43.9	53.7	[2]	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	48.5	33.1	49.3	56.9	55.6	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	56.4	38.7	58.5	65.9	[2]	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	39.1	24.3	37.6	48.7	47.5	[2]
$15,000 TO $19,999	46.1	34.0	43.7	51.8	58.4	72.5
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	51.1	33.5	48.5	56.3	73.5	82.0
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	77.1	[2]	72.0	70.8	81.9	[2]
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	63.9	[2]	57.3	[2]	[2]	[2]
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	42.3	30.9	43.2	47.7	60.6	[2]
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	43.2	34.4	41.4	49.4	48.3	64.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	52.4	40.8	50.1	62.2	67.6	82.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	30.5	19.6	28.1	35.1	34.7	51.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table G. Labor force status of married women, husband present 16 years old and over, by years of school completed, presence and age of own children and income of husband in 1975, March 1976—Continued

PRESENCE AND AGE OF OWN CHILDREN AND HUSBAND'S INCOME	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE					
		YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY WIFE				
	TOTAL	0 TO 11 YEARS	12 YEARS	13 TO 15 YEARS	16 YEARS	MORE THAN 16 YEARS
INCOME OF HUSBAND—Continued						
$20,000 TO $24,999	40.5	28.9	37.8	42.6	46.3	69.4
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	42.2	31.7	37.7	48.4	53.7	(2)
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	70.1	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	51.5	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	36.7	28.2	34.4	44.9	40.2	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	39.5	26.3	37.9	39.5	42.4	67.7
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	49.6	32.0	48.3	48.1	64.4	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	22.8	(2)	16.1	28.6	20.6	(2)
$25,000 TO $34,999	37.4	24.2	35.2	32.1	43.2	63.4
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	39.0	30.5	37.9	34.2	42.6	(2)
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	34.0	(2)	34.1	27.8	33.8	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	36.4	(2)	33.3	31.2	43.5	64.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	42.9	(2)	37.9	40.9	52.9	75.8
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	22.3	(2)	20.5	14.4	28.8	(2)
$35,000 TO $49,999	28.0	(2)	24.8	26.1	34.3	(2)
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	29.2	(2)	29.0	(2)	(2)	(2)
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	26.4	(2)	23.3	(2)	(2)	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	27.2	(2)	21.5	28.3	32.9	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	32.7	(2)	27.7	28.0	(2)	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	16.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
$50,000 AND OVER	20.3	(2)	23.7	13.3	18.1	(2)
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	25.3	(2)	27.2	(2)	(2)	(2)
WIFE UNDER 35 YEARS[1]	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
WIFE 35 TO 44 YEARS	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
WIFE 45 YEARS AND OVER	23.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	16.9	(2)	21.1	9.0	12.9	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	20.1	(2)	21.1	(2)	(2)	(2)
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS	8.4	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)

[1] May include wives 14 and 15 years old.

[2] Median or percent not shown where base is less than 75,000.

Table H. Work experience in 1975 of married women, husband present 16 years old and over, by presence and age of own children, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

ITEM	TOTAL WIVES	WORK EXPERIENCE OF WIFE DURING YEAR: WIVES WITH NO WORK EXPERIENCE	WIVES WITH WORK EXPERIENCE: NUMBER	WIVES WITH WORK EXPERIENCE: PERCENT OF POPULATION	PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF WIVES WITH WORK EXPERIENCE: TOTAL	FULL-TIME[1]: TOTAL	FULL-TIME[1]: 50 TO 52 WEEKS	FULL-TIME[1]: 27 TO 49 WEEKS	FULL-TIME[1]: 1 TO 26 WEEKS	PART-TIME[2]: TOTAL	PART-TIME[2]: 27 WEEKS OR MORE	PART-TIME[2]: 1 TO 26 WEEKS
ALL PERSONS												
TOTAL	47,852	23,115	24,737	51.7	100.0	67.3	41.4	12.9	13.0	32.7	21.1	11.6
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	22,490	11,372	11,118	49.4	100.0	73.3	50.9	12.4	10.0	26.7	18.8	7.9
HUSBAND UNDER 35 YEARS	4,187	560	3,626	86.6	100.0	81.5	50.6	16.3	14.7	18.5	10.3	8.2
HUSBAND 35 TO 54 YEARS	5,245	2,042	3,203	61.1	100.0	73.5	53.7	11.7	8.0	26.5	19.7	6.9
HUSBAND 55 YEARS AND OVER	13,059	8,770	4,289	32.8	100.0	66.2	49.0	9.6	7.5	33.8	25.3	8.5
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	25,361	11,743	13,618	53.7	100.0	62.4	33.6	13.3	15.5	37.6	23.0	14.6
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	13,543	5,485	8,058	59.5	100.0	61.4	39.4	11.5	10.5	38.6	26.3	12.3
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS, TOTAL	11,819	6,258	5,560	47.0	100.0	64.0	25.3	15.9	22.8	36.0	18.1	18.0
WITH OWN CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS, NONE UNDER 3 YEARS	5,044	2,486	2,558	50.7	100.0	61.2	31.3	13.0	17.0	38.8	21.6	17.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS	6,774	3,772	3,003	44.3	100.0	66.3	20.2	18.4	27.7	33.7	15.1	18.6
WHITE												
TOTAL	43,722	21,425	22,296	51.0	100.0	66.4	40.8	12.7	12.9	33.6	21.6	12.0
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	20,828	10,619	10,209	49.0	100.0	73.6	51.0	12.6	10.0	26.4	18.4	8.0
HUSBAND UNDER 35 YEARS	3,903	485	3,418	87.6	100.0	81.2	50.6	16.3	14.3	18.8	10.4	8.4
HUSBAND 35 TO 54 YEARS	4,755	1,876	2,879	60.5	100.0	73.6	53.5	11.9	8.1	26.4	19.4	7.0
HUSBAND 55 YEARS AND OVER	12,170	8,258	3,912	32.1	100.0	67.0	49.5	9.8	7.6	33.0	24.7	8.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	22,893	10,806	12,087	52.8	100.0	60.4	32.2	12.9	15.3	39.6	24.2	15.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	12,362	5,107	7,255	58.7	100.0	59.5	37.9	11.2	10.4	40.5	27.6	12.9
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS, TOTAL	10,531	5,699	4,832	45.9	100.0	61.7	23.6	15.4	22.8	38.3	19.1	19.2
WITH OWN CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS, NONE UNDER 3 YEARS	4,489	2,257	2,232	49.7	100.0	58.6	29.3	12.4	16.9	41.4	23.0	18.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS	6,042	3,442	2,600	43.0	100.0	64.4	18.7	17.9	27.8	35.6	15.8	19.8
BLACK												
TOTAL	3,355	1,341	2,014	60.0	100.0	74.9	47.0	14.3	13.6	25.1	17.1	8.1
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	1,384	641	743	53.7	100.0	67.4	48.4	9.7	9.3	32.6	24.7	7.9
HUSBAND UNDER 35 YEARS	317	56	160	74.0	100.0	87.5	55.2	14.3	18.0	12.5	8.4	4.0
HUSBAND 35 TO 54 YEARS	396	138	258	65.2	100.0	71.0	54.8	8.2	8.0	29.0	23.2	5.8
HUSBAND 55 YEARS AND OVER	771	447	324	42.1	100.0	54.7	40.0	8.5	6.2	45.3	33.9	11.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS, TOTAL	1,971	700	1,271	64.5	100.0	79.3	46.2	17.0	16.1	20.7	12.6	8.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY	990	303	687	69.4	100.0	79.2	53.3	15.1	10.7	20.8	13.8	7.1
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS, TOTAL	981	397	584	59.5	100.0	79.4	37.9	19.1	22.4	20.6	11.2	9.4
WITH OWN CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS, NONE UNDER 3 YEARS	437	167	270	61.7	100.0	80.6	45.7	17.3	17.6	19.4	10.9	8.5
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 3 YEARS	544	229	314	57.8	100.0	78.3	31.2	20.6	26.5	21.7	11.5	10.2

[1] Usually worked 35 hours or more per week during a majority of weeks worked.

[2] Usually worked less than 35 hours per week during a majority of weeks worked.

Table 1. Work experience in 1975 of married women, husband present 16 years old and over, by income of husband and presence of own children under 18 years, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

WORK EXPERIENCE OF WIFE AND PRESENCE OF OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	TOTAL	INCOME OF HUSBAND											
		UNDER $3,000 OR NONE	$3,000 TO $4,999	$5,000 TO $6,999	$7,000 TO $9,999	$10,000 TO $12,999	$13,000 TO $14,999	$15,000 TO $19,999	$20,000 TO $24,999	$25,000 TO $34,999	$35,000 TO $49,999	$50,000 AND OVER	MEDIAN INCOME (DOLS.)
TOTAL WIVES.	47,852	3,586	4,425	4,845	7,688	8,375	4,357	7,673	3,394	2,167	791	549	11,238
WIVES WITH NO WORK EXPERIENCE DURING YEAR.	23,115	1,923	2,499	2,552	3,305	3,500	1,897	3,541	1,759	1,211	517	412	11,131
WIVES WITH WORK EXPERIENCE DURING YEAR.	24,737	1,664	1,926	2,294	4,383	4,875	2,460	4,132	1,635	956	274	137	11,313
PERCENT OF TOTAL WITH WORK EXPERIENCE . .	51.7	46.4	43.5	47.3	57.0	58.2	56.5	53.9	48.2	44.1	34.6	25.0	(3)
FULL TIME,[1] TOTAL. . .	16,652	1,207	1,366	1,686	3,207	3,361	1,642	2,558	925	527	128	63	10,791
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . .	10,236	732	745	876	1,914	2,116	1,091	1,690	586	368	79	40	11,217
27 TO 49 WEEKS . . .	3,191	238	289	369	671	633	280	431	158	82	27	13	10,126
1 TO 26 WEEKS. . . .	3,225	237	332	421	622	612	272	438	182	78	21	10	10,002
PART TIME,[2] TOTAL. . .	8,085	457	560	628	1,176	1,514	818	1,574	709	428	147	74	12,456
27 WEEKS OR MORE . .	5,214	307	357	375	745	935	532	1,040	487	281	106	51	12,686
1 TO 26 WEEKS. . . .	2,872	150	203	253	431	579	287	534	223	148	41	23	12,002
NO OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS.	22,490	2,413	3,045	2,796	3,758	3,448	1,645	2,765	1,286	806	306	223	9,325
WIVES WITH NO WORK EXPERIENCE DURING YEAR.	11,372	1,415	1,887	1,677	1,675	1,408	657	1,181	662	450	196	163	8,146
WIVES WITH WORK EXPERIENCE DURING YEAR.	11,118	999	1,158	1,119	2,082	2,040	988	1,584	623	356	110	60	10,291
PERCENT OF TOTAL WITH WORK EXPERIENCE . .	49.4	41.4	38.0	40.0	55.4	59.2	60.1	57.3	48.5	44.2	36.0	26.8	...
FULL TIME,[1] TOTAL . . .	8,148	723	796	801	1,610	1,521	754	1,177	421	248	66	30	10,271
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . .	5,656	471	498	486	1,086	1,104	556	900	295	197	39	22	10,752
27 TO 49 WEEKS . . .	1,378	129	151	170	314	237	116	151	66	25	16	3	9,329
1 TO 26 WEEKS. . . .	1,114	123	147	145	210	180	83	125	59	26	11	5	8,909
PART TIME,[2] TOTAL. . .	2,970	275	361	318	472	518	233	407	203	108	45	29	10,354
27 WEEKS OR MORE . .	2,087	192	237	207	330	368	164	287	141	82	33	25	10,666
1 TO 26 WEEKS. . . .	883	83	124	111	143	150	69	120	62	27	11	5	9,591
WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS.	25,361	1,173	1,380	2,049	3,930	4,927	2,712	4,909	2,108	1,361	485	326	12,563
WIVES WITH NO WORK EXPERIENCE DURING YEAR.	11,743	508	612	875	1,629	2,092	1,240	2,360	1,097	761	321	249	13,252
WIVES WITH WORK EXPERIENCE DURING YEAR.	13,618	665	768	1,174	2,301	2,836	1,473	2,549	1,011	600	164	77	12,081
PERCENT OF TOTAL WITH WORK EXPERIENCE . .	53.7	56.7	55.7	57.3	58.5	57.6	54.3	51.9	48.0	44.1	33.8	23.7	(3)
FULL TIME,[1] TOTAL . . .	8,504	484	570	865	1,597	1,840	888	1,382	505	280	62	33	11,259
50 TO 52 WEEKS . . .	4,580	260	246	390	827	1,012	535	790	291	171	40	18	11,768
27 TO 49 WEEKS . . .	1,813	109	138	198	357	397	163	279	92	57	11	10	10,757
1 TO 26 WEEKS. . . .	2,111	114	185	277	412	432	189	312	122	52	10	6	10,526
PART TIME,[2] TOTAL. . .	5,115	182	199	310	704	996	585	1,167	506	320	102	44	13,572
27 WEEKS OR MORE . .	3,127	115	120	167	416	566	367	752	325	199	73	26	13,978
1 TO 26 WEEKS. . . .	1,988	67	79	142	289	429	218	415	181	121	29	18	12,905

[1] Usually worked 35 hours or more per week during a majority of weeks worked.

[2] Usually worked less than 35 hours per week during a majority of weeks worked.

[3] Median not shown where base is less than 75,000.

Table J. Employment status of family members 16 years old and over in husband-wife families by employment status of husband, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF MEMBERS OTHER THAN HUSBAND	TOTAL CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION	EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HUSBAND: LABOR FORCE: TOTAL	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	EMPLOYED: TOTAL	EMPLOYED: FULL TIME[1]	EMPLOYED: PART TIME[2]	UNEMPLOYED: TOTAL	UNEMPLOYED: LESS THAN 5 WEEKS	UNEMPLOYED: 5 TO 14 WEEKS	UNEMPLOYED: 15 WEEKS OR MORE	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
TOTAL HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES	46,549	38,257	82.2	36,372	34,819	1,554	1,885	438	556	890	4.9
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE	21,315	15,574	73.1	14,833	14,019	814	741	195	215	332	4.8
SOME OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE	25,235	22,683	89.9	21,540	20,799	740	1,143	243	341	559	5.0
WIFE IN LABOR FORCE	21,069	19,232	91.3	18,219	17,576	643	1,013	212	308	493	5.3
WIFE EMPLOYED, TOTAL	19,604	17,883	91.2	17,035	16,434	601	849	187	259	403	4.7
AT LEAST ONE OTHER MEMBER EMPLOYED[3]	3,769	3,475	92.2	3,352	3,282	70	123	21	37	65	3.5
OTHER MEMBER UNEMPLOYED, NONE EMPLOYED	488	436	89.3	409	399	10	27	5	7	15	6.2
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE, SOME 16 YEARS AND OVER	2,149	1,971	91.7	1,908	1,863	45	63	7	20	35	3.2
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE, NONE 16 YEARS AND OVER	13,198	12,002	90.9	11,366	10,890	476	636	153	195	287	5.3
WIFE UNEMPLOYED, TOTAL	1,465	1,348	92.0	1,184	1,142	42	164	25	49	90	12.2
AT LEAST ONE OTHER MEMBER EMPLOYED[3]	210	198	94.3	187	180	8	10	2	4	5	5.2
OTHER MEMBER UNEMPLOYED, NONE EMPLOYED	49	44	(4)	32	32	-	12	2	5	5	(4)
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE, SOME 16 YEARS AND OVER	96	77	80.6	69	67	2	8	-	-	8	10.5
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE, NONE 16 YEARS AND OVER	1,111	1,029	92.7	895	863	33	134	21	39	73	13.0
WIFE NOT IN LABOR FORCE, TOTAL	25,480	19,025	74.7	18,153	17,243	911	872	226	248	397	4.6
AT LEAST ONE OTHER MEMBER EMPLOYED[3]	3,664	3,033	82.8	2,934	2,844	90	99	22	28	50	3.3
OTHER MEMBER UNEMPLOYED, NONE EMPLOYED	502	418	83.3	386	380	7	32	10	6	16	7.6
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE, SOME 16 YEARS AND OVER	2,602	2,126	81.7	2,039	1,960	80	87	23	24	39	4.1
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE, NONE 16 YEARS AND OVER	18,713	13,448	71.9	12,793	12,059	734	654	171	191	292	4.9

EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF MEMBERS OTHER THAN HUSBAND	EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HUSBAND: NOT IN LABOR FORCE: TOTAL[5]	SCHOOL	RETIRED	UNABLE	OTHER	ARMED FORCES
TOTAL HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES	8,292	235	5,353	1,221	1,407	769
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE	5,740	73	4,102	638	891	448
SOME OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE	2,552	162	1,251	584	516	321
WIFE IN LABOR FORCE, TOTAL	1,837	159	835	438	379	292
WIFE EMPLOYED, TOTAL	1,720	148	793	409	365	255
AT LEAST ONE OTHER MEMBER EMPLOYED[3]	294	5	135	96	58	17
OTHER MEMBER UNEMPLOYED, NONE EMPLOYED	52	-	13	13	25	2
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE, SOME 16 YEARS AND OVER	178	6	77	42	50	24
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE, NONE 16 YEARS AND OVER	1,196	136	567	257	212	213
WIFE UNEMPLOYED, TOTAL	117	11	42	28	34	37
AT LEAST ONE OTHER MEMBER EMPLOYED[3]	12	-	6	4	1	1
OTHER MEMBER UNEMPLOYED, NONE EMPLOYED	5	-	-	1	4	-
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE, SOME 16 YEARS AND OVER	19	1	11	1	7	2
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE, NONE 16 YEARS AND OVER	81	11	25	22	21	34
WIFE NOT IN LABOR FORCE	6,455	76	4,518	784	1,028	477
AT LEAST ONE OTHER MEMBER EMPLOYED[3]	631	3	374	130	121	24
OTHER MEMBER UNEMPLOYED, NONE EMPLOYED	84	-	42	26	16	5
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE, SOME 16 YEARS AND OVER	475	7	255	102	106	31
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE, NONE 16 YEARS AND OVER	5,265	67	3,846	526	784	416

[1] Full-time workers are persons who during the survey week worked 35 hours or more and those who usually work full time but worked 1 to 34 hours.

[2] Part-time workers are persons who usually work 1 to 34 hours and worked 1 to 34 hours during the survey week. Persons with a job but not at work are classified by whether they usually work full or part time.

[3] May include some others unemployed.

[4] Rate not shown where base is less than 75,000.

[5] Includes small number keeping house.

Table K. Employment status of family members 16 years old and over, by employment status of family head and type of family, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

ITEM	TOTAL CIVILIAN NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION	EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF FAMILY HEAD: LABOR FORCE									
		TOTAL	LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE	EMPLOYED: TOTAL	EMPLOYED: FULL TIME[1]	EMPLOYED: PART TIME[2]	UNEMPLOYED: TOTAL	UNEMPLOYED: LESS THAN 5 WEEKS	UNEMPLOYED: 5 TO 14 WEEKS	UNEMPLOYED: 15 WEEKS OR MORE	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE
TOTAL FAMILIES HEADED BY WOMEN[4]	7,482	4,169	55.7	3,759	3,073	686	410	144	120	145	9.8
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE	1,806	835	46.3	780	632	148	55	18	17	20	6.6
NO OTHER MEMBER 16 YEARS AND OVER	3,059	1,846	60.4	1,597	1,318	279	249	91	75	84	13.5
SOME OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE	2,617	1,488	56.8	1,382	1,123	259	105	35	28	42	7.1
AT LEAST ONE OTHER MEMBER EMPLOYED[3]	2,190	1,251	57.1	1,187	968	219	64	18	21	25	5.1
SOME OTHER MEMBER UNEMPLOYED, NONE EMPLOYED	427	237	55.4	195	154	41	41	17	7	17	17.3
TOTAL FAMILIES HEADED BY MEN[4]	1,434	1,030	71.8	947	875	71	83	13	28	43	8.1
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE	507	317	62.4	297	278	19	19	2	9	9	6.1
NO OTHER MEMBER 16 YEARS AND OVER	226	195	86.4	175	160	15	20	2	10	8	10.4
SOME OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE	701	518	73.9	474	436	38	44	9	10	26	8.5
AT LEAST ONE OTHER MEMBER EMPLOYED[3]	588	426	72.5	390	361	29	36	9	6	21	8.4
SOME OTHER MEMBER UNEMPLOYED, NONE EMPLOYED	113	92	81.4	84	75	9	8	-	3	5	8.9

ITEM	EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF FAMILY HEAD: NOT IN LABOR FORCE						
	TOTAL	SCHOOL	KEEPING HOUSE	RETIRED	UNABLE	OTHER	ARMED FORCES
TOTAL FAMILIES HEADED BY WOMEN[4]	3,313	88	2,779	80	153	212	-
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE	971	18	796	40	57	61	-
NO OTHER MEMBER 16 YEARS AND OVER	1,213	65	1,057	-	17	74	-
SOME OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE	1,129	6	927	40	79	77	-
AT LEAST ONE OTHER MEMBER EMPLOYED[3]	939	6	771	30	66	66	-
SOME OTHER MEMBER UNEMPLOYED, NONE EMPLOYED	190	-	155	10	14	12	-
TOTAL FAMILIES HEADED BY MEN[4]	404	22	19	227	60	76	10
NO OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE	190	10	10	100	29	42	1
NO OTHER MEMBER 16 YEARS AND OVER	31	5	3	6	4	12	9
SOME OTHER MEMBER IN LABOR FORCE	183	7	7	120	27	22	-
AT LEAST ONE OTHER MEMBER EMPLOYED[3]	162	7	7	111	22	16	-
SOME OTHER MEMBER UNEMPLOYED, NONE EMPLOYED	21	-	-	10	6	6	-

[1] Full-time workers are persons who during the survey week worked 35 hours or more and those who usually work full time but worked 1 to 34 hours.

[2] Part-time workers are persons who usually work 1 to 34 hours and worked 1 to 34 hours during the survey week.

[3] May include some others unemployed.

[4] Headed by persons who were divorced, separated, widowed, or never married.

Table L. Contribution of wife's earnings to family income, by work experience of wife in 1975 and age of husband, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS	TOTAL	PERCENT OF FAMILY INCOME EARNED BY WIFE								
		LESS THAN 5.0	5.0 TO 9.9	10.0 TO 19.9	20.0 TO 29.9	30.0 TO 39.9	40.0 TO 49.9	50.0 TO 74.9	75.0 OR MORE	MEDIAN PERCENT
TOTAL WIVES WITH EARNINGS	23,709	2,955	2,193	4,114	4,187	4,190	3,259	2,320	540	26.3
FAMILY INCOME										
TOTAL	23,709	2,955	2,193	4,114	4,187	4,190	3,259	2,320	540	26.3
UNDER $3,000	252	53	19	36	30	13	14	26	61	26.0
$3,000 TO $4,999	576	77	73	113	73	40	40	87	75	23.4
$5,000 TO $6,999	959	146	106	173	104	115	87	140	88	25.2
$7,000 TO $9,999	2,255	292	203	414	315	268	243	396	124	26.9
$10,000 TO $12,999	3,107	481	335	508	486	451	382	405	79	24.9
$13,000 TO $14,999	2,316	322	235	376	364	401	322	259	37	26.2
$15,000 TO $19,999	5,659	702	484	976	997	1,105	854	493	48	26.7
$20,000 TO $24,999	3,903	367	302	596	853	820	662	288	16	28.1
$25,000 TO $34,999	3,409	328	261	623	704	763	543	179	8	27.0
$35,000 TO $49,999	1,024	126	75	246	250	193	99	32	3	22.6
$50,000 AND OVER	248	60	50	53	32	23	14	14	2	12.8
MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME (DOLS.)	17,111	15,753	16,037	17 236	18,720	18,659	18,177	13,618	7,966	(4)
WORK EXPERIENCE OF WIFE										
WORKED 50 TO 52 WEEKS, FULL TIME[1]	9,871	71	91	598	1,761	2,744	2,473	1,754	378	38.8
UNDER $10,000	881	20	10	25	36	64	131	353	201	59.5
$10,000 TO $14,999	1,777	13	21	48	147	429	491	519	109	44.7
$15,000 TO $19,999	2,466	13	19	90	398	772	697	436	43	39.2
$20,000 TO $24,999	2,078	11	6	99	469	655	569	254	14	36.9
$25,000 AND OVER	2,709	14	36	335	710	824	586	193	11	33.1
MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME (DOLS.)	19,699	(4)	18.998	27.025	23,178	20,818	19.410	15.055	9.650	(4)
WORKED 27 TO 49 WEEKS, FULL TIME[2]	3,116	40	84	499	885	752	459	316	81	30.7
WORKED 1 TO 26 WEEKS FULL TIME[2] OR 1 TO 52 WEEKS PART TIME[3]	10,722	2,843	1,968	3,017	1,540	694	328	249	82	11.8
AGE OF HUSBAND										
UNDER 25 YEARS	2,259	226	171	343	362	429	358	307	64	30.7
25 TO 44 YEARS	11,544	1,643	1,181	1,948	1,901	2,066	1,627	976	202	25.3
45 YEARS AND OVER	9,906	1,085	792	1,823	1,924	1,695	1,274	1,037	274	26.5

[1] Data relate to the civilian noninstitutional population and include only those families in which the wife had paid work experience: Excludes women with zero earnings.

[2] Usually worked 35 hours or more per week during a majority of weeks worked.

[3] Usually worked less than 35 hours per week during a majority of weeks worked.

[4] Median not shown where base is less than 75,000.

Table M. Number of earners 16 years old and over and relationship, by family income in 1975 and type of family, March 1976

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

NUMBER OF EARNERS AND RELATIONSHIP	TOTAL	INCOME OF FAMILY						
		UNDER $1,000	$1,000 TO $1,999	$2,000 TO $2,999	$3,000 TO $4,999	$5,000 TO $6,999	$7,000 TO $9,999	$10,000 TO $12,999
ALL FAMILIES, TOTAL	56,245	571	639	1,356	4,902	4,881	7,259	7,729
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES								
TOTAL	47,318	295	267	680	2,604	3,443	5,692	6,672
NO EARNERS	4,860	159	99	334	1,237	1,158	915	484
ONE EARNER	16,029	100	121	236	871	1,448	2,641	2,901
HUSBAND ONLY	14,183	50	107	181	681	1,178	2,198	2,601
WIFE ONLY	1,372	39	14	50	146	214	360	220
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	474	11	-	5	44	56	82	80
TWO EARNERS	19,964	32	42	104	449	770	1,946	2,872
HUSBAND AND WIFE	16,946	19	35	75	389	692	1,726	2,525
HUSBAND AND OTHER RELATIVE	2,637	2	4	23	43	57	166	299
HUSBAND NOT AN EARNER	381	12	3	6	17	20	54	49
THREE EARNERS OR MORE	6,465	3	5	6	48	68	191	414
HUSBAND AND WIFE	5,124	-	5	3	32	43	127	319
HUSBAND AN EARNER, NOT WIFE	1,207	3	-	3	9	19	43	76
HUSBAND NOT AN EARNER	135	-	-	-	7	6	21	18
OTHER FAMILIES[1]								
HEADED BY MEN								
TOTAL	1,444	18	13	36	121	129	190	215
NO EARNERS	172	15	7	10	49	24	32	10
ONE EARNER, TOTAL	690	3	6	17	60	70	112	127
HEAD ONLY	518	3	6	9	34	36	91	100
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	172	-	1	6	26	34	20	27
TWO EARNERS OR MORE, TOTAL	582	-	2	6	13	35	47	78
HEAD AND OTHER RELATIVE(S)	545	-	2	6	12	31	41	71
HEAD IS NONEARNER	37	-	-	-	1	4	6	7
HEADED BY WOMEN								
TOTAL	7,482	258	359	640	1,476	1,089	1,376	842
NO EARNERS	1,981	177	222	366	687	279	125	66
ONE EARNER, TOTAL	3,536	77	129	240	668	625	873	619
HEAD ONLY	2,661	72	104	186	536	473	675	314
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	875	5	25	54	132	152	198	105
TWO EARNERS OR MORE, TOTAL	1,965	5	8	34	112	185	378	357
HEAD AND OTHER RELATIVE(S)	1,718	4	5	27	96	164	336	311
HEAD IS NONEARNER	246	1	3	6	16	21	43	45

NUMBER OF EARNERS AND RELATIONSHIP	INCOME OF FAMILY							
	$13,000 TO $14,999	$15,000 TO $19,999	$20,000 TO $24,999	$25,000 TO $34,999	$35,000 TO $49,999	$50,000 AND OVER	MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME (DOLS.)	MEAN FAMILY INCOME (DOLS.)
ALL FAMILIES, TOTAL	4,832	10,548	6,518	5,336	1,812	783	13,706	15,546
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES								
TOTAL	4,298	9,659	6,109	5,109	1,747	745	14,865	16,693
NO EARNERS	165	159	79	35	17	17	5,908	7,251
ONE EARNER	1,607	2,981	1,461	971	389	301	12,700	14,873
HUSBAND ONLY	1,449	2,785	1,369	918	372	294	13,131	15,406
WIFE ONLY	112	121	49	34	12	2	8,738	9,973
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	47	76	43	19	6	5	11,310	13,108
TWO EARNERS	2,101	5,156	3,187	2,450	593	261	16,615	17,962
HUSBAND AND WIFE	1,825	4,363	2,688	2,023	438	148	16,360	17,457
HUSBAND AND OTHER RELATIVE	240	708	444	392	151	112	18,444	21,641
HUSBAND NOT AN EARNER	36	88	55	35	4	2	14,634	14,958
THREE EARNERS OR MORE	424	1,363	1,381	1,652	747	165	22,579	24,302
HUSBAND AND WIFE	351	1,106	1,123	1,333	581	100	22,561	24,168
HUSBAND AN EARNER, NOT WIFE	59	222	243	303	162	66	23,508	26,208
HUSBAND NOT AN EARNER	14	35	15	15	3	-	15,242	16,114
OTHER FAMILIES[1]								
HEADED BY MEN								
TOTAL	121	309	133	107	26	26	12,995	14,686
NO EARNERS	3	10	3	-	-	-	4,862	6,093
ONE EARNER, TOTAL	54	140	55	36	5	11	11,992	13,658
HEAD ONLY	42	113	45	28	3	9	12,509	14,002
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	12	26	10	8	2	2	10,068	12,621
TWO EARNERS OR MORE, TOTAL	63	160	74	72	21	15	16,579	18,446
HEAD AND OTHER RELATIVE(S)	57	156	71	66	20	15	16,779	18,618
HEAD IS NONEARNER	6	3	3	5	2	-	(4)	(4)
HEADED BY WOMEN								
TOTAL	414	579	277	120	39	12	6,844	8,463
NO EARNERS	15	16	11	5	-	2	3,588	4,226
ONE EARNER, TOTAL	197	200	66	24	15	3	7,093	8,030
HEAD ONLY	142	117	33	3	5	1	6,835	7,483
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	55	83	33	20	10	1	8,028	9,693
TWO EARNERS OR MORE, TOTAL	201	363	199	92	24	8	12,218	13,514
HEAD AND OTHER RELATIVE(S)	182	321	178	74	18	3	12,185	13,352
HEAD IS NONEARNER	19	42	21	18	6	4	12,381	14,649

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Table M. Number of earners 16 years old and over and relationship, by family income in 1975, type of family and race, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

NUMBER OF EARNERS AND RELATIONSHIP	TOTAL	INCOME OF FAMILY: UNDER $1,000	$1,000 TO $1,999	$2,000 TO $2,999	$3,000 TO $4,999	$5,000 TO $6,999	$7,000 TO $9,999	$10,000 TO $12,999
WHITE								
ALL FAMILIES, TOTAL	49,873	455	438	948	3,252	3,909	6,284	6,891
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES								
TOTAL	43,311	268	216	555	2,246	3,067	5,075	6,035
NO EARNERS	4,504	148	87	277	1,092	1,092	870	472
ONE EARNER	14,850	91	91	196	748	1,288	2,353	2,674
HUSBAND ONLY	13,243	42	81	157	600	1,053	1,977	2,410
WIFE ONLY	1,186	38	10	37	113	190	302	192
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	420	11	-	1	35	45	74	73
TWO EARNERS	18,064	26	36	78	367	630	1,696	2,547
HUSBAND AND WIFE	15,282	13	29	55	328	568	1,509	2,255
HUSBAND AND OTHER RELATIVE	2,455	2	4	18	31	44	145	254
HUSBAND NOT AN EARNER	327	12	3	5	8	17	41	38
THREE EARNERS OR MORE	5,893	3	2	5	39	58	157	342
HUSBAND AND WIFE	4,649	-	2	2	26	40	103	261
HUSBAND AN EARNER, NOT WIFE	1,134	3	-	3	7	16	40	66
HUSBAND NOT AN EARNER	110	-	-	-	5	2	14	15
OTHER FAMILIES[1]								
HEADED BY MEN								
TOTAL	1,182	12	9	27	88	92	141	181
NO EARNERS	193	10	3	18	40	21	25	10
ONE EARNER, TOTAL	554	2	4	8	37	53	84	103
HEAD ONLY	418	2	4	6	20	26	67	80
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	136	-	1	2	16	26	17	24
TWO EARNERS OR MORE, TOTAL	485	-	2	2	11	19	31	67
HEAD AND OTHER RELATIVE(S)	453	-	2	2	10	17	26	62
HEAD IS NONEARNER	31	-	-	-	1	2	6	5
HEADED BY WOMEN								
TOTAL	5,380	175	313	386	919	750	1,068	676
NO EARNERS	1,316	125	128	201	436	208	111	60
ONE EARNER, TOTAL	2,568	45	81	142	414	418	666	350
HEAD ONLY	1,893	42	69	110	340	315	499	255
OTHER RELATIVE, ONLY	675	4	12	32	75	103	166	96
TWO EARNERS OR MORE, TOTAL	1,496	5	5	23	69	124	291	265
HEAD AND OTHER RELATIVE(S)	1,330	4	3	19	59	111	267	239
HEAD IS NONEARNER	165	1	2	4	10	13	24	26

NUMBER OF EARNERS AND RELATIONSHIP	INCOME OF FAMILY: $13,000 TO $14,999	$15,000 TO $19,999	$20,000 TO $24,999	$25,000 TO $34,999	$35,000 TO $49,999	$50,000 AND OVER	MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME (DOLS.)	MEAN FAMILY INCOME (DOLS.)
WHITE								
ALL FAMILIES, TOTAL	4,385	9,703	6,085	5,025	1,733	763	14,258	16,111
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES								
TOTAL	3,936	8,952	5,732	4,823	1,679	727	15,144	16,992
NO EARNERS	159	159	79	35	17	17	6,048	7,438
ONE EARNER	1,520	2,847	1,413	952	379	298	12,982	15,235
HUSBAND ONLY	1,375	2,660	1,331	905	361	291	13,438	15,742
WIFE ONLY	101	113	45	31	12	2	8,904	10,220
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	44	75	36	16	6	5	11,669	13,414
TWO EARNERS	1,883	4,728	2,952	2,300	571	252	16,871	18,275
HUSBAND AND WIFE	1,630	3,985	2,467	1,885	418	140	16,573	17,701
HUSBAND AND OTHER RELATIVE	222	662	433	380	150	110	18,834	22,215
HUSBAND NOT AN EARNER	32	81	51	34	4	2	15,507	15,536
THREE EARNERS OR MORE	373	1,218	1,288	1,536	712	167	22,914	24,792
HUSBAND AND WIFE	305	989	1,040	1,236	550	95	22,884	24,525
HUSBAND AN EARNER, NOT WIFE	54	200	236	285	159	66	23,787	26,632
HUSBAND NOT AN EARNER	14	28	13	15	3	-	15,886	17,090
OTHER FAMILIES[1]								
HEADED BY MEN								
TOTAL	99	266	120	99	24	24	13,841	15,350
NO EARNERS	3	10	3	-	-	-	5,086	6,461
ONE EARNER, TOTAL	44	120	51	34	5	9	12,603	14,195
HEAD ONLY	33	99	41	28	3	9	13,274	14,900
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	11	21	10	6	2	-	10,684	12,033
TWO EARNERS OR MORE, TOTAL	52	136	66	65	19	15	17,165	19,300
HEAD AND OTHER RELATIVE(S)	45	133	63	62	18	15	17,375	19,501
HEAD IS NONEARNER	6	3	3	3	2	-	(2)	(2)
HEADED BY WOMEN								
TOTAL	350	485	233	102	36	12	7,651	9,183
NO EARNERS	14	15	11	5	-	2	3,817	4,676
ONE EARNER, TOTAL	178	180	56	22	13	3	7,757	8,716
HEAD ONLY	126	103	25	9	8	1	7,376	8,021
OTHER RELATIVE, ONLY	52	77	30	13	5	1	8,968	10,663
TWO EARNERS OR MORE, TOTAL	158	290	166	75	17	8	12,629	13,950
HEAD AND OTHER RELATIVE(S)	141	262	147	60	14	3	12,518	13,716
HEAD IS NONEARNER	17	28	19	15	3	4	13,445	15,834

See footnotes at end of table.

Table M. Number of earners 16 years old and over and relationship, by family income in 1975, type of family and race, March 1976—Continued

(NUMBERS IN THOUSANDS)

NUMBER OF EARNERS AND RELATIONSHIP	TOTAL	INCOME OF FAMILY						
		UNDER $1,000	$1,000 TO $1,999	$2,000 TO $2,999	$3,000 TO $4,999	$5,000 TO $6,999	$7,000 TO $9,999	$10,000 TO $12,999
BLACK								
ALL FAMILIES, TOTAL	5,586	97	194	3[illegible]	905	680	864	788
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES								
TOTAL	3,352	12	50	7	332	317	533	575
NO EARNERS	321	5	12	[illegible]	138	58	39	12
ONE EARNER	954	7	39	[illegible]	110	135	246	202
HUSBAND ONLY	750	6	25	19	68	102	188	171
WIFE ONLY	158	1	3	13	32	23	50	23
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	45	-	-	4	9	10	7	7
TWO EARNERS	1,607	-	6	24	75	114	223	299
HUSBAND AND WIFE	1,408	-	6	18	56	101	194	245
HUSBAND AND OTHER RELATIVE	152	-	-	5	11	10	18	43
HUSBAND NOT AN EARNER	47	-	-	1	8	3	11	11
THREE EARNERS OR MORE	470	-	3	[illegible]	9	9	26	63
HUSBAND AND WIFE	396	-	3		6	3	16	53
HUSBAND AN EARNER, NOT WIFE	54	-	-		2	2	3	7
HUSBAND NOT AN EARNER	21	-	-		1	4	7	3
OTHER FAMILIES[1]								
HEADED BY MEN								
TOTAL	230	5	4	8	32	37	42	32
NO EARNERS	26	3	4	2	9	3	5	-
ONE EARNER, TOTAL	115	1	-	5	21	18	22	22
HEAD ONLY	84	1	-	3	11	10	21	18
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	31	-	-	2	10	8	2	4
TWO EARNERS OR MORE, TOTAL	90	-	-	2	2	16	14	11
HEAD AND OTHER RELATIVE(S)	86	-	-	2	2	14	14	9
HEAD IS NONEARNER	4	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
HEADED BY WOMEN								
TOTAL	2,004	81	141	266	501	326	289	161
NO EARNERS	848	49	92	158	294	69	15	6
ONE EARNER, TOTAL	931	31	46	98	189	196	196	65
HEAD ONLY	740	30	34	76	192	151	166	56
OTHER RELATIVE, ONLY	191	2	12	22	57	45	29	9
TWO EARNERS OR MORE, TOTAL	429	-	3	10	38	61	79	90
HEAD AND OTHER RELATIVE(S)	362	-	2	8	32	53	63	71
HEAD IS NONEARNER	67	-	2	1	6	9	16	19

NUMBER OF EARNERS AND RELATIONSHIP	INCOME OF FAMILY							
	$13,000 TO $14,999	$15,000 TO $19,999	$20,000 TO $24,999	$25,000 TO $34,999	$35,000 TO $49,999	$50,000 AND OVER	MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME (DOLS.)	MEAN FAMILY INCOME (DOLS.)
BLACK								
ALL FAMILIES, TOTAL	380	689	337	227	49	3	8,779	10,401
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES								
TOTAL	303	567	294	208	40	3	11,564	12,769
NO EARNERS	2	-	-	-	-	-	4,188	4,764
ONE EARNER	69	88	22	7	3	-	8,892	9,363
HUSBAND ONLY	60	82	20	4	3	-	9,422	9,801
WIFE ONLY	6	5	-	1	-	-	7,320	7,540
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	2	2	2	1	-	-	(1)	(1)
TWO EARNERS	191	355	196	110	14	1	13,852	14,402
HUSBAND AND WIFE	189	318	182	105	14	-	13,987	14,685
HUSBAND AND OTHER RELATIVE	17	32	10	5	-	1	11,798	12,866
HUSBAND NOT AN EARNER	5	5	4	-	-	-	(1)	(1)
THREE EARNERS OR MORE	41	124	77	91	23	2	18,319	19,953
HUSBAND AND WIFE	38	102	70	82	20	2	18,804	20,140
HUSBAND AN EARNER, NOT WIFE	3	19	5	9	3	-	(1)	(1)
HUSBAND NOT AN EARNER	-	3	2	-	-	-	(1)	(1)
OTHER FAMILIES[1]								
HEADED BY MEN								
TOTAL	20	37	7	5	2	-	8,955	10,396
NO EARNERS	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1)	(1)
ONE EARNER, TOTAL	10	13	2	-	-	-	8,287	9,121
HEAD ONLY	9	8	2	-	-	-	8,821	9,618
OTHER RELATIVE ONLY	1	5	-	-	-	-	(1)	(1)
TWO EARNERS OR MORE, TOTAL	10	24	5	5	2	-	13,047	13,778
HEAD AND OTHER RELATIVE(S)	10	24	5	5	2	-	13,440	14,043
HEAD IS NONEARNER	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1)	(1)
HEADED BY WOMEN								
TOTAL	58	84	36	14	7	-	6,898	8,442
NO EARNERS	1	1	-	-	-	-	3,179	3,346
ONE EARNER, TOTAL	18	18	10	2	2	-	5,421	6,150
HEAD ONLY	15	13	7	-	-	-	5,517	6,101
OTHER RELATIVE, ONLY	3	5	3	2	2	-	5,107	6,344
TWO EARNERS OR MORE, TOTAL	39	65	25	12	5	-	10,795	11,727
HEAD AND OTHER RELATIVE(S)	37	57	23	12	4	-	10,962	11,934
HEAD IS NONEARNER	2	8	3	-	1	-	(1)	(1)

[1] Headed by persons who were divorced, separated, widowed or never-married.

[1] Percent, median or mean not shown where base is less than 75,000.

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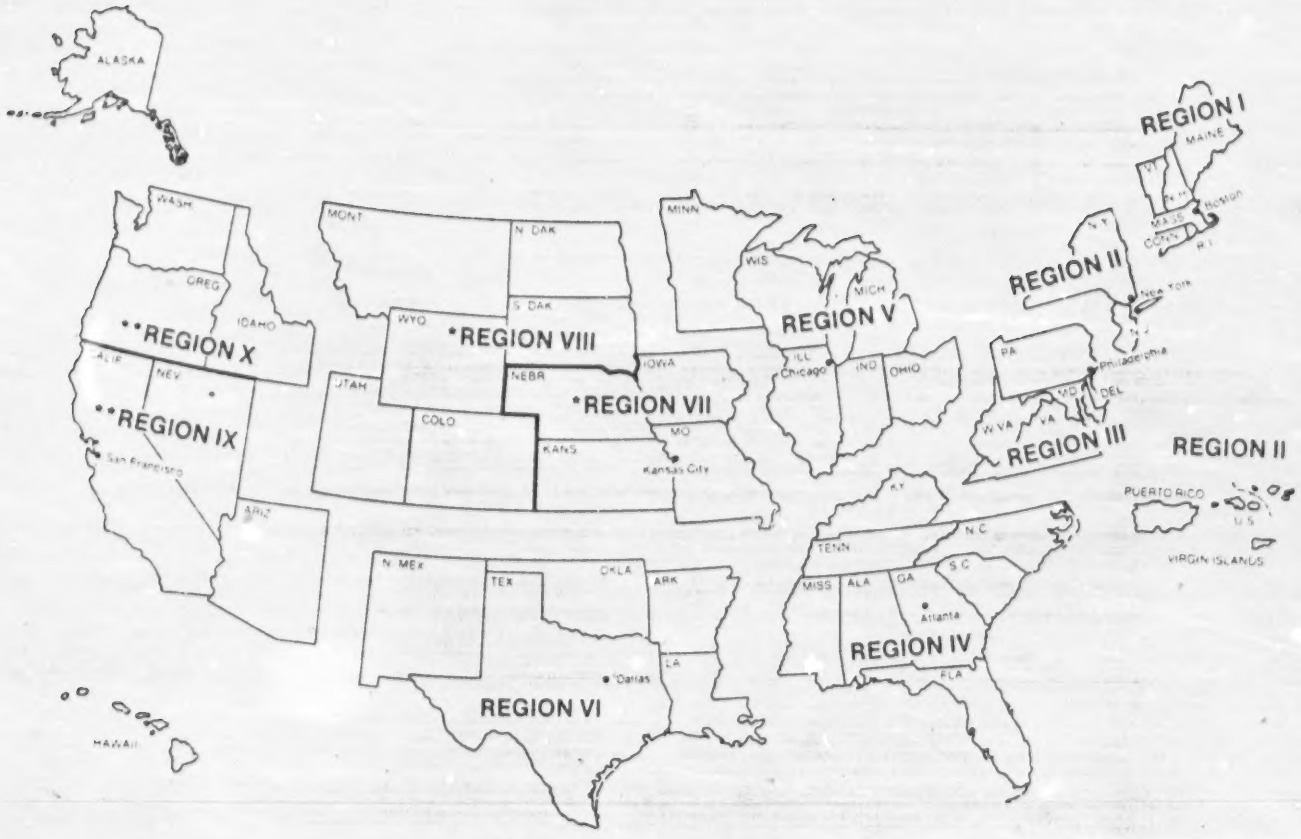

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